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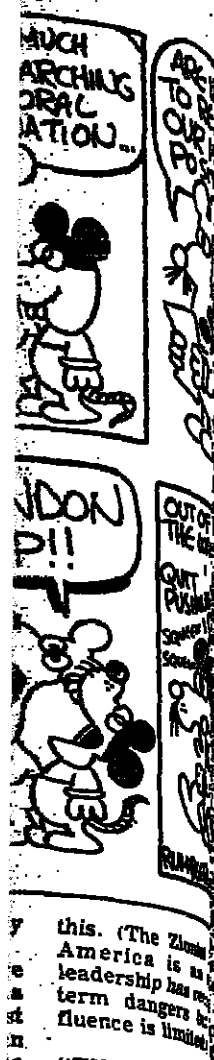
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Senator Edward Kennedy, shown addressing a breakfast meeting of lawyers at the Waldorf in New York on Tuesday. (AP)

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...HIRSH GOODMAN
...Military Correspondent

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...ews of Weizman's visit was ...blished in yesterday's ...v," even though newsmen ...out Weizman's trip last ...y. The claim that the visit ...outh Africa was reported at noon yesterday by Israel Radio. Both "Ma'ariv" and Israel Radio face action over censorship infractions.

In Cape Town, a spokesman for the South African defence ministry yesterday strongly denied that Weizman secretly visited the country last weekend.

The spokesman declared: "It's nonsense." He refused to comment further, saying, "We do not reply to absurdities."

Officials at the Israel defence ministry last night, while refusing to confirm or deny anything, said that by virtue of the publicity given the matter — whether true or not — tremendous damage has been caused to Israel. It shows, they said, the country's inability to guard even the closest secrets from the news media and to maintain a system of secret contracts between nations.

Israel's relations with South Africa have been a subject of international speculation for the past decade.

Recently CBS broadcast a report based on a book that South Africa and Israel have jointly exploded a

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...-Pessah food price cuts start today

...y SHLOMO MAOZ
...Economic Reporter

...ices of several basic com-... ...s, including fruit and ...es, were due to drop this ...by an average of some 15 ...as the government starts ...-long campaign to check ...s and ease the housewife's ...urdens.

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The ministry believes the various price slashing campaigns will bring others in their wake, and points out that there is a plentiful supply of food available for Pessah.

Frozen chicken will be cheaper by IS1.55 per kilo as of today, bringing the price of mini-chickens to IS7.55 per kilo. No. 1 chicken will cost IS7.45, and No. 2 — IS7.35. Frozen chicken parts will also be cheaper. A kilo of potatoes will cost IS1.4, as compared with the present IS1.92. Carrots will be down from IS2.3 per kilo to IS2.05; Amnon fish will cost IS9.8 a kilo, as compared with IS1.15. Oranges will be 30 new agorot cheaper and will cost from IS1.2 to IS1.5. Turkey breast and frozen turkey meat will be slashed by 25 per cent in price.

A 200 gram packet of margarine will cost IS1.1, instead of IS1.22.

A kilo of carp, which yesterday cost IS9.7, today costs IS7.7.

Hake (bakala) will go on sale for IS9.9 a kilo, down from IS10.20.

Many milk products, including white cheese, eshel, leben and butter, will be cheaper by 14 per cent.

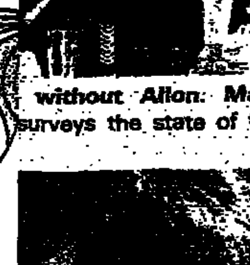
The price-cutting campaign is costing the government IS12m. But producers and distributors have agreed to bear some of the costs.

The government will have to ask for special financing for the campaign which has no budgetary cover.

Reductions in these and other commodities are to be found at Shekem stores, the Supersol chain, Hamashbir Latzarchan, the Tzarchaniyot cooperatives, and the Hypershuk and Supershuk stores. The Shemen company has announced a 10 per cent reduction on its products, and the Wissotzky tea company has also cut prices.



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In dramatic bid to meet autonomy goal

Carter calls Begin and Sadat for White House meetings

By WOLF BLITZER, Jerusalem Post Correspondent

WASHINGTON. — In a major development, President Jimmy Carter has invited Prime Minister Menahem Begin and President Anwar Sadat to Washington next month for separate meetings as part of an intensified U.S. effort to meet the May 26 target date for concluding the Palestinian autonomy negotiations.

A terse White House announcement said the purpose of the meetings "will be to review the progress and pace of the autonomy negotiations for the West Bank and Gaza."

Presidential press secretary Jody Powell said Carter had extended the invitations to Sadat and Begin on Tuesday during personal telephone calls to the Egyptian and Israeli leaders.

Powell said the meetings would take place at the White House, and not at the Camp David mountain retreat where the three leaders concluded their "framework" agreement on Palestinian autonomy in September 1978.

U.S. officials privately explained that Sadat and Begin were being asked to come to Washington separately because the president felt that such a format was more likely to result in progress on the autonomy talks than would be the case during a formal, three-way summit.

Powell said that no final decision had yet been reached regarding the exact timing of the two separate visits. He also said it remained unclear which leader would arrive here first.

U.S. special Middle East ambassador Sol Linowitz leaves this weekend on a previously-scheduled visit to Israel and Egypt for another round of autonomy talks. Powell said Linowitz's trip would now also include "preparations" for the Carter-Sadat and Carter-Begin meetings.

Powell and other U.S. officials *made it clear the U.S. is very anx*ious to try to do everything possible to meet the May 26 target date for concluding the autonomy negotiations.

But in response to questioning, Powell told a White House news briefing that those talks could continue beyond May 26 if all the parties demonstrated "sufficient momentum."

The White House spokesman said that Carter, Sadat and Begin agreed that meeting the target date required another round of talks among "the architects of Camp David." Such a high-level contingency, he said, has been under consideration for several weeks, *even before the fiasco of the U.S.* vote March 1 at the UN Security Council condemning Israel.

When a reporter asked Powell whether the President would discuss the future status of Jerusalem during his talks with Sadat and Begin, the spokesman deferred to Robert Hunter, the Middle East expert on the National Security Council who was standing alongside. Hunter said that Jerusalem was not envisaged as part of the autonomy framework with the single possible exception being whether East Jerusalem Arabs should be allowed to participate in the elections for the proposed self-governing authority. "Jerusalem was not part of Camp David as such," he said.

Egypt and the United States want the East Jerusalem residents to be allowed to vote in the elections. Israel, so far, is opposed. Powell refused to rule out completely the possibility that the April meetings here in Washington might lead to another three-way summit. "I don't want to close the door to any possibility," he said. "But that is not our intent." He denied knowing of any plans by Vice President Walter Mondale to visit Israel and Egypt, as reported in the Israeli and Egyptian press.

Powell said that it has now been *nearly a full year since Carter met* personally with either Sadat or Begin. All of them agreed, he said, that now was an appropriate time to get together, "take stock" of the current situation and "explore ways to move forward."

Some of the remaining stumbling blocks in the autonomy negotiations, Powell said, required "the highest level" of discussion, given their "sensitivity" and "importance."

Diplomatic sources here listed in this category the questions of voting rights for the East Jerusalem Arabs, the establishment of new Israeli settlements on the West Bank and Gaza, the role of the Israeli military government, and control of water sources in the territories.

Powell denied that the current autonomy talks were stalled.

In terms of domestic presidential politics, yesterday's announcement is bound to help Carter among Jewish voters in next Tuesday's

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New Egypt-Israel c'tte to set talks timetable

Jerusalem Post Staff

Egypt and Israel have agreed to convene a steering committee in Tel Aviv on Sunday to draw up a "detailed timetable and agenda" *with the aim of accelerating their* negotiations on the proposed West Bank-Gaza Strip autonomy.

The agreement was reached in an exchange of cables between Israel's chief autonomy negotiator Interior Minister Yosef Burg and his Egyptian counterpart, Premier Mustapha Khalil. The suggestion to form the steering committee was initiated by Burg.

In a surprise statement broadcast by Cairo radio, Egyptian *Minister of State for Foreign Af*fairs Butros Ghali yesterday said that Egypt considered the current initiative aimed at speeding up the autonomy negotiations to be highly important.

The two countries are scheduled to hold a high-level autonomy conference in Alexandria next Wednesday, but *no conclusions are likely* before summit talks which U.S. President Jimmy Carter is due to hold separately with President Anwar Sadat and Premier Menahem Begin next month in Washington.

Chief American autonomy negotiator Sol Linowitz will arrive in Israel on Sunday to take part in next week's autonomy deliberations, which might serve as a groundwork for the Washington *summits.*

Meanwhile, a plan to convene committees on legal and economic affairs fell through mainly because of a dispute over what substantive issues the two bodies were supposed to tackle. These include the thorny subjects of what powers and jurisdiction a proposed self-governing authority in the West Bank and Gaza would exercise.

Burg yesterday reported that the *autonomy negotiators had virtually* completed the technical work connected with election modalities. *"Our negotiations were good, fruitful,"* he said. But he added that there was no agreement on substantive issues of whether the council is to be an administrative or legislative body, and whether East Jerusalem would fall under its jurisdiction.

He also disclosed that the U.S. had informed him last month that it viewed May 26 as the "deadline" for the completion of the negotiations, rather than a target date.

The American delegation to the talks had used the word "deadline" *at the meetings in The Hague on* February 27 and 28, Burg told a National Religious Party meeting in Tel Aviv.

The minister recalled that he had protested the American divergence from the word "goal" used in letters Sadat and Begin had written U.S. President Jimmy Carter. "Deadline creates deadlock," Burg warned, adding that Israel would not accept an ultimatum.

But the chief U.S. delegate Sol *Linowitz, replied that Carter, the* European governments and the Arabs view May 26 as "a deadline."

Shamir raps Europeans for adopting anti-peace stand

By ARYEH RUBINSTEIN
Post Knesset Reporter

Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir yesterday urged the statesmen of Western Europe to keep in mind that their pro-Palestinian pronouncements might jeopardize the achievement of peace in the Middle East.

He also called upon all sections of the Israeli public that reject pro-Palestinian views to demonstrate their unity. Only in that way can the government hope to convince Western Europe of the PLO's true goals and of the threat it constitutes to Israel's survival, he said.

Shamir was replying to four motions for the agenda on Israel's relations with Western Europe and the status of the PLO. It was Shamir's first speech in the Knesset as foreign minister.

The motions were presented by Abba Eban (Alignment), *Meir Pa'il* (Sheli), Yehuda Ben-Meir (National Religious Party), and *Ronnie Milo* (Likud). All but Pa'il's were referred to the Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee.

Shamir said the statements of the European leaders advocating self-*determination for the Palestinians* did Israel "incalculable damage." He asserted that these leaders were convinced that this was the cheapest price they can pay for oil and to promote the sale of their industrial products.

Those who call for Palestinian self-determination ignore the fact that the Palestinian Arabs have in fact been given a state of their own — Jordan — which extends over more than three-fourths of the territory of Eretz Yisrael, Shamir said.

He described Jordan as "Palestinian in every respect" — population, culture, religion and language.

Shamir said there was no doub*ting the desire of these European* states to maintain friendly relations with Israel. But this friendship is incompatible with support for the establishment of a Palestinian state and with fostering recognition of "the murderers' organization, the PLO," he argued.

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Separate Carter talks for Begin, Sadat

Prime Minister Menahem Begin said last night that President Jimmy Carter had phoned to invite him to Washington for talks on the autonomy negotiations. President Anwar Sadat had been invited separately, Begin said.

"These will not be three-way conversations," Begin told a Kol Yisrael reporter. "The date for the talks will be fixed in bilateral contacts, and I *assume I shall be going* after Pessah (the second week in April)."

Begin laughed *when the reporter* queried him about Washington press reports, which cited White House sources *as saying* Carter had warned him about the negative consequences of the failure of the autonomy talks. "The report is totally without foundation," Begin said. "Our phone conversation was warm and friendly. He invited me, and I accepted."

The premier noted that ever since the Aswan summit he had expressed his readiness for further meetings. "However, we don't initiate summit meetings. If President Carter issues an invitation, we accept," Begin said. "I assume President Sadat thinks the same way."

Asked by the reporter about the likelihood of his being pressed to make concessions on autonomy, Begin said, "We have a plan for autonomy, and we also have the Camp David agreements. We can reach agreement on autonomy by May 26 provided we adhere to the Camp David agreements. We have no reason to budge from them."

Comptroller endorses Sharon farm deal

By SHLOMO MAOZ
Post Economic Reporter

The State Comptroller yesterday declared that the lease of *Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon's* farm to the Levy Company is in line with the Asher Committee rules concerning conflict of interest between a minister's private interests and public responsibilities.

But the Comptroller added that Sharon will have to bring various matters relating to the farm before a ministerial committee for decision because *his interest in the* farm will be renewed the moment the lease expires.

The Comptroller stated that as Sharon expects the farm to return to him when he leaves the ministry, he retains an interest in the fate of the farm, especially in all that relates to the long term.

Therefore, states the Comptroller, in cases that the Agriculture Minister or his subordinates are expected to decide on matters which may directly effect the farm's business beyond the period of the lease, Sharon, in accordance with *clause 7 of the Asher* Committee rules, will have to pass the matter on to a ministerial committee for decision.

The significance of this ruling is that in almost all matters relating to the price of water, the price of produce, the price of leasing land, licence fees and various quota prices, the Agriculture Minister *will have in advance to receive per*mission from the ministerial committee (probably the economic cabinet) before making decisions that could affect his farm. Observers note that this will make the ministry's functioning cumbersome.

The Comptroller noted that permission to lease the farm in line *with the Law of Agricultural Settle*ment is still outstanding. The Comptroller also noted that a *ministerial committee will have to* decide on the transfer of the lease temporarily from the Israel Lands Administration to the Levy Company.

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Ben-Elissar talk in Cairo blanked

Jerusalem Post Staff

CAIRO. — The foreign press club here cancelled a talk Israel ambassador Dr. Eliahu Ben-Elissar was scheduled to give at its premises last night. No explanation was given for the move.

Circles associated with the club said only that the Ben-Elissar briefing was put off following "pressure from the Egyptians."

Earlier reports said that the head of the Egyptian state information centre, Safwat Sherif, had called the chairman of the press club, Abdullah Schleifer, to ask that the Ben-Elissar briefing be cancelled.

Ben-Elissar himself was reported to have been approached by a Foreign Ministry official who claimed that the Israel ambassador's public appearances were "still premature at this stage."

Informed sources here said that Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Butros Ghali had recently circulated a policy paper calling on Egyptians to cast a deliberate chill over Israel's one-month-old embassy in retaliation for what was being, termed Israel's hardline stance on the West Bank and Gaza autonomy plan.

Shekels to displace pounds October 1

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Israeli shekel will officially replace the Israeli pound in all financial transactions on October 1, Oded Messer, examiner of banks, announced here yesterday.

He was reporting on an agreement reached earlier in the day in Jerusalem between Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz and Arnon Gafny, governor of the Bank of Israel.

Messer said: "We have no doubt that the commercial banks could have made arrangements to effect the switchover within a few months, but then the problem does not concern only the banks, but all other firms and bodies which use computerised methods, such as the National Insurance Institute, the *Electric Corporation*, the municipalities, and other bodies. We felt that they needed more *time.*"

The main problem was expected to be post-dated cheques. Messer *hoped* that by October 1 all such "pound" cheques being held would be replaced by "shekel" cheques. If *they were, not*, the banks would honour the "pound" cheques, but they would be processed by hand *and not through* the computer.

The new "shekel" cheques would carry the symbol of the shekel which would be a "shin." Cheques bearing the IL symbol would not be honoured after October 1. He rejected as "paving the way *for* forgery and falsifications" the idea of stamping IL cheques with the "shin" symbol.

Assad appoints new governors in 3 cities

DAMASCUS (Reuter). — Syrian President Hafez Assad yesterday appointed new governors for three provincial cities in Syria in an apparent effort to counter popular discontent with his government.

The move came five days after the appointment of a new governor for the northern city of Aleppo, *Syria's second-biggest, which has* been shaken by anti-government unrest and violence over the past few weeks.

An announcement released here by the official Syrian Arab News Agency said the president had *replaced the governors of Idlib*, 60 km. southwest of Aleppo, Dar'a on the Syrian-Jordanian border, and Deir a-Zur *near the border with* Iraq.

Italian gov't falls—38th in 35 years

ROME (Reuter). — *Christian* Democratic Premier Francesco Cossiga went to the presidential palace to resign last night after his weak minority coalition government lost vital support in parliament.

The 51-year-old former law professor's seven-month-old government, Italy's 38th in 35 years, collapsed after the third-ranking Socialist Party announced *it would no longer keep it alive by* abstaining on key parliamentary votes.

Cossiga was handing in his resignation to Italy's 83-year-old Socialist president Sandro Pertini, who faced the problem of finding a *successor in a situation widely* described here as a political stalemate.

Cossiga went to the presidential palace after a brief cabinet meeting approved the resignation. Public Works Minister Franco Nicolazzi said.

Earlier, the outgoing premier told parliament in a debate on the future of his government that Italy *badly needed political stability.*

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AMSTERDAM	-1	30	3	37	Clear
BRUSSELS	2	36	10	50	Cloudy
BUENOS AIRES	24	75	32	89	Clear
CHICAGO	-5	22	10	50	Clear
COPENHAGEN	-6	21	0	32	Snow
FRANKFURT	3	37	12	53	Cloudy
GENEVA	-1	30	3	37	Clear
HELSINKI	-13	9	-1	23	Clear
HONG KONG	18	64	19	66	Cloudy
JOHANNESBURG	15	59	23	73	Clear
LISBON	10	50	3	37	Rain
LONDON	2	36	3	37	Rain
MADRID	-1	30	14	57	Rain
MONTREAL	3	37	4	39	Cloudy
NEW YORK	8	46	10	50	Clear
OSLO	-15	5	2	28	Clear
PARIS	7	45	13	55	Cloudy
RIO DE JANEIRO	20	68	34	93	Clear
SAO PAULO	19	66	27	81	Cloudy
STOCKHOLM	-11	12	-5	23	Clear
TOKYO	4	39	6	43	Cloudy
TORONTO	-1	30	1	34	Cloudy
VIENNA	2	36	9	48	Clear
ZURICH	4	39	8	46	Cloudy

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Forecast: Partly cloudy, rising temperatures, lower humidity.

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Golan	87	5—11	17
Naharlya	64	12—17	20
Safad	85	5—9	12
Haifa Port	69	13—16	20
Tiberias	58	9—18	22
Nazareth	70	7—12	18
Afula	61	9—17	22
Samaria	99	7—10	17
Tel Aviv	78	—18	20
B-G Airport	73	10—16	23
Jericho	46	11—21	25
Gaza	67	10—16	20
Beersheba	45	9—17	23
Eilat	25	11—23	26
Tira Straits	42	15—21	23

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

President Yitzhak Navon yesterday received the new Speaker of the Knesset, Yitzhak Berman, for an hour-long conversation at Beit Hanassi. The president also received Prof. Gerson D. Cohen, chancellor of the Jewish Theological Seminary, and Prof. Haim Z. Dimitrovsky, compiler and editor of a newly discovered edition of the Talmud published in Spain in the 15th century, who presented him with an advance copy of the work.

Knesset Speaker Yitzhak Berman yesterday met with Dr. Emidio Ferrao da Costa Pinheiro, a member of the Portuguese parliament.

U.S. Ambassador Samuel Lewis will speak on "Aspects of the U.S.-Israel Relationship" at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Tel Aviv-Jaffa Rotary Club (with the ladies) at the Hilton Hotel today at 1.15 p.m.

Haifa University will tomorrow hold a symposium on non-teaching employment opportunities for mathematics and statistics graduates, at 10 a.m. The main speaker will be Prof. Arye Lavi, chief scientist of the Industry, Trade and Tourism Ministry.

Scholarships totalling IL1.2m. provided by the International Sephardic Education Foundation were distributed to 60 Hebrew University students of Sephardic background at a ceremony yesterday on Mount Scopus. The presentation was made by Dr. Ovadia Sofer, honorary member of the executive of the fund, which is distributing some IL12m. to university students, making I.S.E.F. the biggest fund of its kind in Israel. The donors are Sephardic Jews from the United States.

ARRIVALS

Dr. Burkhard Hirsch, minister of the interior on North Rhine-Westphalia, at the invitation of the government for a week's visit.

The Miami Israel Bonds delegation, for a 10-day stay: Mitchell Appelmah; Ana Asch; Helen Baron; Herbert Baron; Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Circle; Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Cohen; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Debeer; Dr. and Mrs. Leon Fellman; Edith Field; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grocer; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halpern; Sophie Haspel; Celia Hamilton; Gloria Horowitz; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Igra; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Krakover; Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Lezell; Milton Parson, Manager, South Florida State of Israel Bonds, and Mrs. Parson; Dorothy Pearlman; Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Perlmutter; Charlotte Pinsky; Marilyn Rapaport; Mr. and Mrs. Irving Rubin; Mr. and Mrs. Al Scharf; Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Schattner; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schmukler; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Siegel; Edward Starr; Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinberg; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Straus; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tandlich; Zelda Thau; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ungar; Kati Vamos, Bonds staff: Susan Vamos; Joseph Waldhorn; Mr. and Mrs. Ian Wallack; Mr. and Mrs. David Welsh.

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Knesset passes new Chief Rabbinate law

By ARYEH RUBINSTEIN
Post Knesset Reporter

By a vote of 51-13, the Knesset yesterday passed the Chief Rabbinate Council Law, which provides that the two Chief Rabbis shall be elected for a 10-year term (instead of the present five) and shall be ineligible for re-election.

The Labour wing of the Alignment voted for the bill together with the coalition. Mapam voted against. The other nays were cast by Deputy Premier Yigael Yadin, and Shai, Sheli, Shulamit Aloni (CRM), and Gideon Hausner (ILP).

Labour's support for the bill was worked out in protracted talks with the National Religious Party. In return for its votes, Labour insisted on a number of changes in the bill, including deletion of a clause declaring the chief rabbinate the authority on all questions of religion and *Halacha* in Israel.

Chief Rabbis Shlomo Goren and Ovadia Yosef will continue to serve until the first elections under the new law. These are to be held not later than 1 Nissan (March 15) 1983. The two incumbents will not be eligible to enter these elections.

Rabbis Goren and Yosef were elected for five years in October 1972. But the Knesset voted to extend their terms — in 1977, 1978, and 1979.

The Conservative and Reform movements in Israel were unsuccessful in getting the Knesset to delete the clause giving the chief rabinate council the power to authorize rabbis to perform marriages. At present, it is the minister for religious affairs who has this power.

Proponents of the new clause argued that in effect it did not constitute an innovation, since the minister for religious affairs in any case always consults with the council before granting the authorization.

The new law provides that the two chief rabbis shall alternate in the offices of president of the rabbinical court of appeals and president of the chief rabbinate council.

The number of council members (now 10 plus the two chief rabbis) is increased to 16, by the inclusion of the chief rabbis of Jerusalem, Tel Aviv, Haifa and Beersheba. (The Sephardi and Ashkenazi rabbis of each city will alternate.)

The main objections of the bill's opponents were that it discriminates against non-Orthodox streams in Judaism and that an opportunity was missed to legislate a single chief rabbi. Rabbi Richard Hirsch, executive director of the World Union for Progressive Judaism, reacted to the passage of the new law by voicing the Reform movement's strenuous opposition to it.

"The movement takes special exception to paragraph 2, sub-section six, which changes for the worse the religious status quo, which is bad enough."

He said that the Reform movement was especially "shocked" by the fact that parties hitherto in favour of equal rights for Judaism's various streams had yesterday voted for the law. Special shock was caused by Labour's vote, he said, noting that Labour leader Shimon Peres only recently reiterated his party's commitment to equal religious rights legislation.

The movement expressed concern that the law would damage Israel's image abroad and harm relations between Israel and Diaspora Jewry.

No new coat for Nefertiti airliner

By MICHAL YUDELMAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Egyptian Airline, Nefertiti Aviation, which has been operating two weekly flights between Cairo and Tel Aviv since March 5, is still using the Boeing 707 leased from Geminair, with an all-British crew, despite Egyptian officials' promises that the plane would be repainted after its first flight.

Apart from the two weekly flights to Israel, the Geminair plane flies from Cairo to Aswan, Luxor and Nairobi for Egypt Air, it was learned.

An informed source told *The Jerusalem Post* yesterday there was no intention of re-painting the Geminair plane and inscribing it with "Nefertiti". "If they did that, they wouldn't be able to use the plane for all the other flights," the source said.

A representative of V.I.P., which handles Nefertiti's affairs in Israel until the opening of the airline's general sales agency, said that the Egyptian airline began to issue tickets and boarding passes marked with its name only yesterday. Until then, Nefertiti passengers from Tel Aviv to Cairo received El Al tickets, and passengers from Cairo to Tel Aviv received Iberian Air tickets.

The occupancy rate of Nefertiti's flights so far has been "satisfactory," the source said, siting 105 passengers from Tel Aviv to Cairo last week, 60 this week and a full plane booked for next week.

Private sector C-o-L agreement signed

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The private employers' organization yesterday signed formal agreements providing their employees with significant increases in the cost-of-living allowance. But some employers said they may have to fire workers to be able to meet the new obligations.

The head of the labour committee of the Coordinating Bureau of Economic Organizations, Haim Kaminitz, told *The Jerusalem Post* that factories making textile, wood and some metal products for local consumption are in financial straits. Some owners had told the bureau that they could not increase wages without cutting back on manpower. But he declined to name them.

The agreements, which were negotiated last month, provide for a 20.5 per cent increase. They also provide for quarterly increases in the C-o-L allowance that will compensate salaried workers for 80 per cent of the price rises.

Kibbutz Na'an celebrates 50th year

By JUDY SIEGEL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

KIBBUTZ NA'AN. — Three generations of settlers last night celebrated the 50th anniversary of this flourishing kibbutz southeast of Rehovot by recalling the 42 young pioneers of Noar Ha'oved who built it on a hill of sand among hostile Arab villages.

Na'an, the home of Labour Party *doyen* Yisrael Galili, hosted President Yitzhak Navon at its golden anniversary party. Noting that the founders established the settlement without previous approval by the authorities and by surprise, Navon suggested that their gift of secrecy came from Galili, who in all his years in power "always knew how to keep a secret."

The president asserted that while agricultural settlement has been hit by financial problems, "not everything done in the State of Israel has been decided solely on an economic basis. The state itself, villages, cities and factories were set up for national and social reasons... Without dismissing economic factors, one mustn't decide policy merely according to economics." Navon added that settlement and agriculture "must be treated with respect."

Na'an's membership numbers some 1,200.

Arab builders prefer Labour to Rakah

NAZARETH (Itim). — The Alignment gained 7 per cent over last time among Arab voters in elections for the Building Workers Union held recently, and the Rakah-aligned Democratic Front lost the same amount.

In the overall national vote, the Alignment received over 50 per cent of the votes.

The Alignment won 64 per cent of 14,000 votes cast by Arabs, and the Democratic Front received only 25 per cent. There were 50,000 eligible Arab voters, about 35 per cent of the total in the union.

In Nazareth and surrounding villages, the Alignment total was 70 per cent, and the DF's 24. Other votes went to the religious list and to Sheli.

Chairman of the Labour Party's Arab Department, Ra'anan Cohen, expressed satisfaction with what he called the Arab residents' maturity and their ability to separate national views from trade union issues.

SHAMIR — EUROPEANS

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The foreign minister said that the European statesmen could not be more mistaken in thinking that a friendly attitude towards the PLO will lead it to moderate its position. So far, the PLO has continued to regard the state it hopes to establish in Judea and Samaria as only a stage in its effort to liquidate the State of Israel, he said.

"And logically," Shamir asked, "why should it change its way if it gets recognition and support without doing so?"

Shamir said that an information campaign must be launched to persuade Europe that the only way to achieve stability in the region is to support the Camp David process by making a balanced effort to get "all sides" to moderate their positions.

The foreign minister sent a word of encouragement to the Jewish communities of Western Europe "that are standing upright and evincing great courage in the struggle for the security of the state of Israel."

Shamir said he "identifies fully" with Eban's "splendid" presentation of his motion.

Eban had said that the establishment of a 23rd Arab state had now become more important to Europe than ensuring the ability and right of the Jewish people to maintain its independence in its one state. On the other hand, Eban said, the European community is now silent about the peace treaty between Israel and Egypt, which it once praised.

Eban also said that never before the advent of the Likud government had there been so deep a split between Israel and Europe. In part, this is due to the "worrisome political weakness" that characterized Israel under its present leadership.

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Curious onlookers examine the remains of a car destroyed in a suspected underworld bombing in Jaffa yesterday. (Lester Millman)

Suspects arrested in Jaffa car bomb blast

By YORAM BAR
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Police yesterday arrested four known criminals from Bat Yam and Tel Kabir in connection with an attempt the same day to murder Yoav Sina, 24, by connecting a bomb to the ignition of his car.

Sina lost both legs in the blast, which occurred when he tried to start his car yesterday morning in front of his house on Rehov Ha'etrog in Jaffa. His life was still reported to be in danger last night at Donolo B Hospital in the city. His BMW was destroyed completely by the bomb, which had been placed under the front left wheel.

Sina had worked as a sports counsellor at the Wingate Institute near Netanya.

Neighbours who witnessed the explosion said that Sina continued to speak after it occurred. "I didn't do anything to them, what do they want from me?" he muttered to people who rushed to help him. One man said he saw two people running from the scene at the time of the incident.

A Tel Aviv district police spokesman said last night that investigators believe that the bombing was a settling of accounts in the drug underworld.

In a similar incident in Tiberias yesterday Yehuda Hasan, 27, and his baby son escaped unhurt yesterday when a booby-trapped hand grenade attached to his car exploded.

Hasan, who was recently released from prison, heard the tell-tale click of a grenade about to explode as he started opening the car door. He immediately backed off, threw his son to the ground and covered him with his body just as the grenade exploded.

The car was totally destroyed.

Tiberias police, who think the incident involved underworld accounts, have set up a special investigating unit.

Carter didn't unglue economy speech

WASHINGTON (AP). — U.S. President Jimmy Carter failed to deliver part of his anti-inflation speech last Friday because "two pages were stuck together," says his chief anti-inflation adviser Alfred Kahn.

Kahn disclosed the omission after members of the Senate Banking Committee expressed disappointment on Monday that Carter had failed to speak forcefully in favour of reforming government regulations.

Kahn said the information was in the speech, but it was "unfortunately missed... the president overlooked it because two pages were stuck together."

One of the overlooked paragraphs said: "As much as possible, we need to let the private enterprise system be free to compete. We have succeeded in deregulating airlines. I urge the Congress to speed passage of comprehensive bills to cut regulation of banking, trucking, railroads and communications."

Moments after Carter finished his speech on Friday, his deputy press secretary Rex Granum volunteered to reporters that even though Carter had not read that portion of his speech, it still should be considered part of the address.

Kindergarten fees go up on April 1

By BENNY MORRIS
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Fees in the country's public pre-compulsory kindergartens will rise starting April 1 to a maximum of IS137 per month and in the private kindergartens to a maximum of IS190, the Education Ministry announced yesterday.

In an unprecedented move caused by the unexpected budget cuts, the ministry decided to raise the pay-scale in mid-year for tuition in the municipal and other public pre-compulsory kindergartens from a IS9.3 to IS93 scale, graded according to parents earnings to a IS13.7 to IS137scale.

The rise, the ministry announced, is in line with the forthcoming cost-of-living pay increment rather than the higher cost of living index increase.

The ministry has authorized private kindergartens serving 3-4 year-olds, to increase their fees from IS163 to IS190 in top-level, and from IS151 to IS176 in middle-level kindergartens. Third-level kindergartens will continue to charge IS130, according to this decision. This marks the second raise within two months of private kindergarten fees. Kindergartens on the first two levels enjoy ministry recognition.

Fire exchanged in S. Lebanon

METULLA. — Exchanges of artillery fire were reported last night between terrorists and Christian Lebanese forces in South Lebanon.

The terrorists fired on Klea and Dir Mimas from their Beaufort castle positions. No casualties were reported. Major Sa'ad Haddad's Christian forces returned fire.

Lebanese newspapers yesterday reported that a general strike closed down the terrorist-held city of Tyre, after unexplained explosions caused severe panic among the townspeople.

Egyptian ship rescued from troubled waters

HAIFA. — A 200-ton Egyptian schooner which ran into difficulties on the high seas on the way from Lebanon to Egypt, was given shelter in the Kishon harbour by coastal police yesterday afternoon.

The ship, Karin, asked for help and was escorted into the harbour by a police boat. She has seven men on board, one of whom was hurt in a fall during the storm, and was taken to the hospital by the police.

Begin, Olympic c'tee cancel planned meeting

Post Sports Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The meeting scheduled for yesterday between Prime Minister Menahem Begin and the Israel Olympic Committee presidium to discuss Israel's participation in the summer Olympics in Moscow was called off at the last moment.

"We have nothing new to discuss with the prime minister at present, and he agreed to our suggestion to postpone the meeting until there are significant developments on the Olympic front," IOC president Yitzhak Ofek said.

When Begin and the five-man IOC presidium first discussed the issue in late January, further such contacts were envisaged, and yesterday's follow-up meeting was announced a fortnight ago.

DRILL. — A civil defence drill in Lod today will involve police, civil defence, Magen David Adom and fire department personnel. In case of a real emergency, a rising and falling siren will be heard.

CHEESE. — Tnuva's Haifa dairy was fined IS600 yesterday in Magistrates Court for a carton of spoiled cottage cheese sold in 1978 and for another carton which contained a piece of a plant.

Sharon: U.S. will back Palestinian state

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The U.S. has made up its mind to establish a Palestinian state, not today, but in the future, Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon told Israel Television's "Moked" interview panel last night.

Despite high-level statements in the U.S. to the contrary, Sharon said, the facts on the ground and American contacts with Arabs of Judea and Samaria prove that the Americans are making all the preparations.

Referring to his controversial meeting with the Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations, where he was criticized for allegedly interfering in internal American affairs, Sharon said, "The American Jewish leadership is very broad and is by no means restricted to the presidents' conference."

Sharon scolded twice for Knesset behaviour

Post Knesset Reporter

Deputy Knesset Speaker Shoshana Arbeli twice reprimanded Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon in the Knesset yesterday.

The first time was when Sharon replied to a parliamentary question by Avraham Katz-Oz (Alignment) regarding Sharon's farm, and Arbeli agreed with a number of shouting MKs that Sharon's replies should have been less cryptic and more polite.

Arbeli's second admonition was delivered when Sharon replied to a motion for the agenda by Tawfik Zayyad (Hadash) on the shortage of land in Arab villages. "What you have said is a pack of lies, and it deserves no answer," Sharon said. "I move that it be struck from the agenda."

Congressional medal for Simon Wiesenthal

WASHINGTON (JTA). — President Jimmy Carter yesterday signed resolutions adopted by both houses of Congress awarding a Congressional Gold Medal to Nazi-hunter Simon Wiesenthal.

The White House said that the medal "is in recognition of his contributions to international justice through the documentation and location of war criminals from World War II."

The medal will probably be presented to Wiesenthal in about six months, after it is designed and struck.

Knesset agrees to air its level of debate

"The style is the man — and the level of public debate reveals the character of the society," MK Gideon Hausner (Independent Liberals) said in the Knesset yesterday.

He was presenting a motion for the agenda on "The Level of Public Debate."

Hausner said that the style of public debate in Israel is now often marked by "obscene and barbaric language." He recalled some epithets heard in the present Knesset: "gangster," "parasite," "fascist."

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nuclear device off the South African coast. There was a report last week in "The Washington Post" of a possible joint Israeli-South African neutron bomb.

The foreign press has carried extensive reports of Israeli arms being sold to South Africa, including missile boats.

In addition, South Africa will be supplying Israel with the huge amounts of coal needed to fuel the new Hadera power plant. Reports are rife about a surreptitious Israel-South Africa uncut-diamond trade.

What exactly Weizman was seeking there this past week will probably remain a secret — even though officials in the defence establishment are not sure of this either. According to some reports, Weizman went to South Africa at the express request of Premier Menahem Begin, although this is believed to be inaccurate. It is believed that Weizman's visit was primarily to do with defence. However, Weizman reported in detail to Begin on Sunday and again on Tuesday night.

CARTER — REAGAN

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ty machine in Chicago, which backed him, failed to deliver even a respectable number of national delegates to his support.

It was estimated that he won only about 16 of the national delegates who will eventually choose the party's candidate.

Carter took around 154 delegates, giving him an estimated total so far in the campaign of 458 out of the 1,666 he needs for total victory. Kennedy has an estimated 151 delegates.

Congressman Anderson had been expected to test Reagan severely and possibly beat him with the help of votes from disenchanted Democrats. But he won only 26 delegates to Reagan's 42.

Reagan now has an estimated 208 delegates of the 998 needed to win the Republican presidential nomination while Anderson has 39.

Despite their defeats, both Kennedy and Anderson vowed to fight on, as did fading Republican challenger George Bush who finished a distant third.

"It would be unfortunate indeed if these results were interpreted as a referendum on the economic and foreign policies of this Administration," Kennedy said.

Anderson told cheering supporters: "We have not yet begun to fight."

Although almost half the electorate said that inflation, now running at an annual rate of close to 20 per cent, was the most important issue facing the U.S., they still voted heavily for Carter. Opinion polls have showed that many Democrats still cannot forgive Kennedy for the 1969 Chappaquiddick incident in which Mary Jo Kopechne, a campaign worker, died in a car accident that he failed to report for 10 hours.

Heroin hau mouth at airport

By YORAM BAR
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Acting on a tip from Amsterdam, police on Tuesday evening swooped on two young men as they got off a KLM flight at Ben-Gurion Airport. The two, allegedly found in possession of grams of heroin worth over 000 concealed in a false-bottomed suitcase.

The two, aged 21 and previous convictions, the them for drug trafficking.

Brought for interrogation Aviv, the younger man was be concealing a further 20 heroin, wrapped in plastic anus.

A police source yesterday *The Jerusalem Post* that a team headed by Pakad Shemesh has been working case for several months knew that the older man had several trips to Europe and build connections with pedlars there.

The decision to move on two came when word was that they were coming to Israel well-stocked with drugs.

The country's drug addicts apparently fallen victim to warfare between rival dealers. There is a shortage of drugs and prices have been driven up steeply.

Military funeral for man in Haifa killing

By MARY HIRSCH
Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — Yigal Dahari, police believe killed himself Tuesday and then committed suicide, had a military funeral yesterday.

Haifa magistrate Lindenstrauss refused to conduct an autopsy on grounds that "the cause of death is clear enough," but ordered an autopsy be performed on Dahari, to ascertain how she died.

A police spokesman said first tests have shown Dahari suffocated his victim with a pillow, and that was the cause. The body bore no signs of violence.

The spokesman added that Dahari scribbled a short note, probably shortly before he killed himself, where he stated that he was "driving him insane with jealousy" and he had no reason to put an end to both their lives.

LEXICON. — Histadrut Secretary-General Yeroham Meshel suggested to Education Minister Zevulun Hammer that they incorporate in their studies "Histadrut Lexicon" by Meir Avizohar because it contained the history of the labour movement.

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Democratic primary in [illegible] against Reagan. The subsequent [illegible] at home and here by Sadat and Begin probably help the President's election drive, it is thought.

White House officials were yesterday that the announcement by the Sadat and Begin visits help defuse the continuing fallout from the UN resolution flop.

Secretary of State Cyrus Vance is scheduled to testify today before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee on the entire affair.

Meanwhile, the House Foreign Affairs Committee began [illegible] legislation today of a proposed [illegible] by $200m. military aid to Israel, the pending foreign aid bill.

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pany, as the Administration controlled by the Agriculture Ministry.

Asher Wallfish adds:

Agriculture Minister Sharon said yesterday that he was highly gratified by the State Comptroller's opinion on the sub-lease of his Negev farm to a private manager.

Sharon told *The Jerusalem Post* in the Knesset: "I always acted according to the rules of the Knesset Committee on conflict of interest in the past, and according to the instructions of the State Comptroller, and I shall do so in the future."

Alignment faction chairman Moshe Shahal said: "The State Comptroller's opinion looks damning, forced. The Comptroller must have been faced with a *fait accompli*." He said that the Israel Land Administration Law would not allow Sharon to pay the Administration a large "consent fee" on selling the sub-lease. "But I doubt whether Sharon will ever pay it."

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Hammer tells ministers keep mouths shut

By SARAH HONIG
Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Education Minister Hammer of the National Religious Party intends to propose to cabinet members take part moratorium on public in the next few weeks.

Hammer told political reporters that "a curb on public statements by all ministers is essential to improving relations within the government, so that it can live to the end of its term in peace."

The minister dismissed contentions by political observers that the talk about early elections, which began with the meetings of NRP leader Interior Minister Yosef Burg and Labour Party Chairman Shimon Peres, resulted from internal strife within the NRP.

Hammer said he also intends to urge them to mind their public conduct. The group includes Sarah Doron, Moshe Meron, Menahem Savidor and Gustav Badian.

Hammer ruled out any deal concerning the make-up of the next government between the NRP and Labour prior to the elections. "We don't know what the situation after voting day will be and with how much power each party will emerge. We cannot go to our voters after tying our hands in clandestine deals," he said.

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Sharon: MKs must trust ministry experts in Europe

By ASHER WALLFISH
Jerusalem Post Knesset Reporter

Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon said yesterday there was no need for MKs to study the flower industry in Europe since the ministry's experts he had sent there were fully qualified. "It would be a waste of money for members of the Knesset Economic Committee to go on a pleasure trip at the expense of cultivators whose losses are high enough already," Sharon told The Jerusalem Post.

"Flower growers must cut their losses and not increase them. My ministry will provide all the reports they need," he said.

Sharon dodged The Post's question whether he had told two Knesset Committee members that they could visit flower installations in Europe, but that a colleague, Pessah Grupper, would not.

"I decided on principle that if you need go," Sharon insisted.

Cohen (Likud-Le'am), one of the MKs concerned, said that Sharon's evasive answer yesterday that Blum had not been in Jerusalem for several months, a period of UN activity on the Middle East.

Blum, who has been defending Israel's position in debate after debate over Israeli policy in the administered territories, said on arrival yesterday that while only "a masochist" would like his job, he found it "challenging."

Grupper told The Post, "If Grupper can't go, we won't go either. The minister cannot close Israeli installations to Knesset members."

Grupper told The Post, "Sharon is trying to liquidate me politically and harass me personally, because of the way I criticize his policy as a minister. Sharon and his retinue wasted IL300,000 on a trip to Mexico, a country which has no farming connections with Israel at all. Sharon's only aim is to smash those who criticize him: he doesn't care about farm exports. The man has no moral compunctions whatsoever. God help Israel's agriculture!"

Grupper said that Sharon's retinue in Mexico and the U.S. had included his wife, his spokesman, his spokesman's wife, unnamed aides, and a journalist who has been associated with the minister for many years.

... envoy Blum back for consultation

... Jerusalem Post Reporter

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... paper ponders Begin's problems

... Jerusalem Post Correspondent

CARTEL — In a rare editorial about politics yesterday, the semi-... newspaper "Al-Ahram" ... how long the Begin govern... continue to swim against ... current of opinion at home and ... by Saudi ... probably ... election drive ... White House ... yesterday that ... the Sadat and ... help defuse the ... fallout from the ... flop.

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In Egypt strikes are illegal and the right to hold street demonstrations is severely limited.

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TEL AVIV. — Artzi Wain, general manager of the municipal company for the rehabilitation of Hatikva Ezra Uvitzaron, yesterday gave up his position as head of Tel Aviv's slum rehabilitation programme, following the Attorney-General's ruling that a conflict of interests exists between both positions.

Uvitzaron's position as Ezra Uvitzaron, general manager raised a storm a few weeks ago, when it was revealed that his monthly salary was IS9,000. Mayor Shlomo Lahat explained the large salary by saying that Wein was also head of the slum rehabilitation project in Tel Aviv.

But Deputy Prime Minister Yigael Yadin demanded the immediate investigation of a possible conflicts of interest between Wein's two posts, and put a freeze on all government funds intended for Tel Aviv slum rehabilitation.

Wein said at the time that his pay did not exceed the customary salary paid by the municipality to private contractors. Yadin will probably demand that it be reduced, it was learned.



President Yitzhak Navon on his back in Beit Hanassi yesterday donating a pint of blood to Magen David Adom. (Rahamim Israeli)

Navon: Giving blood easiest way to save life

By JUDY SIEGEL
Jerusalem Post Reporter

"I don't know of any other sacrifice in which the effort is so small and the contribution is so great," said President Yitzhak Navon yesterday after donating a pint of blood to Magen David Adom in Beit Hanassi.

Navon, who was presented by MDA director Amitzur Kfir with a certificate insuring him and his family at the blood bank, said: "It doesn't hurt, it's not hard and it can save a life."

The president and his staff volunteered to give blood to highlight "Give a Hand to MDA Week" that ends tomorrow and to inspire the public to follow their example. The blood supply at MDA, which collects 130,000 units a year, falls low during the Pessah and Rosh Hashana season because people are on vacation or preparing for the holiday.

Navon had his blood pressure taken by Yehoshua Bolak, a bearded young building contractor who has volunteered at MDA twice a week for the last five years. Bolak admitted later to being a bit nervous. On his back, the president joked that he had never before had the opportunity to appreciate the Bezem ceiling art work in Beit Hanassi.

Men and women aged 18 to 65 may donate blood every three months. Pregnant women, persons taking antibiotics, and persons who have had certain diseases may not donate.

Dr. Shulamit Bar-Shani, director of blood services at MDA's central blood bank, said that in Israel, 43 per cent of the population have A-type blood: 32 per cent O-type; 18 per cent B-type; and 7 per cent AB-type. Ten per cent of each type is RH negative.

MDA has sent special mobile vans around the country to collect blood during the week, in addition to their regular stations. Blood will be collected today in Mercaz Hacarmel in Haifa and in the centre of Rishon Lezion, and tomorrow at the Bank Leumi branch at 100 Rehov Dizengoff, Tel Aviv.

TV film about Wallenberg criticizes Israel

By HYAM CORNEY
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

LONDON. — The Israel Foreign Ministry is accused of not taking sufficient interest in the case of Raoul Wallenberg in a television documentary about the Swedish diplomat being screened here tonight in the British Broadcasting Corporation-2 "Man Alive" series.

Wallenberg, credited with rescuing thousands of Hungarian Jews during World War II, was captured on January 17, 1945, by Soviet troops when they entered Budapest and his fate has remained a mystery. The Soviets reported he died in 1947 from a heart attack, but several witnesses have reported seeing him since then.

Israel Ambassador Shlomo Argov, who saw an advance showing of the TV film in the House of Commons on Tuesday, reacted angrily to suggestions of Israeli indifference and to the allegation that the Foreign Ministry had no file on Wallenberg. He said he personally knew of such a file's existence.

The ambassador also said Israel had preferred to maintain a low profile in the case as it was felt that outright support for Wallenberg might anger the Soviets. He said this view was conveyed to Wallenberg's sister, Mrs. Nina Lagergren, who attended the preview.

As a result of the preview showing, several members of Parliament have launched a campaign to nominate Wallenberg for the Nobel Peace prize. The campaign is spearheaded by MPs Winston Churchill and Greville Janner.

Among those interviewed in the programeme is Yosef Lapid, head of Israel TV, who was a young boy in Budapest during the war. Lapid describes emotionally how his mother was saved from being dragged off to the concentration camp by Wallenberg's last-minute intervention.

The programme claims that Wallenberg is still alive and totally rejects Soviet claims to the contrary. Even Swedish diplomats, some of whom were at the preview, now share this view.

Included in the film is the ceremony in which Prime Minister Menahem Begin plants a tree in Wallenberg's honour in the Avenue of Righteous Gentiles at Yad Vashem.

Soviet Jew sentenced to five years

Soviet Jewish dissident Igor Guberman has been sentenced by a Moscow court to five years at hard labour in what his sister-in-law said yesterday was an attempt to silence him.

Mrs. Nina Patlas, of Tel Aviv, told Israel Radio that Guberman, a writer for the underground Moscow Journal "Jews in the Soviet Union," was convicted on a charge of purchasing stolen icons. She learned of the conviction in a telephone conversation to Moscow Tuesday night.

"This was a trial against the whole Jewish movement," she said.

She was told that the courtroom was packed with KGB agents who had conducted searches and interrogations of Guberman and other writers for the journal.

The agents found a collection of antiques in Guberman's apartment, including old keys, samovars, paintings and icons. But Mrs. Patlas claimed the criminal charge was only to avoid the embarrassment of an overtly political trial.

Guberman applied for permission to emigrate to Israel in December 1978.

Queen Elizabeth invited to Israel

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Ofira Navon, wife of President Yitzhak Navon, this week invited Britain's Queen Elizabeth to visit Israel.

Mrs. Navon, who was received by the queen in Buckingham Palace in London, issued the invitation in the name of the president and of Prime Minister Menahem Begin.

During the course of their 80-minute private conversation, Mrs. Navon asked the queen to support her idea of a "refuge city" for orphans who are war refugees, which she had raised at last year's International Children's Year conference in Mexico City. Mrs. Navon will return home tomorrow from England, where she opened the Joint Israel Appeal campaign.

Yad Vashem to honour French, Polish gentiles

A French woman and two Polish families are to be honoured at Yad Vashem for courage shown in aiding Jews during the Nazi period.

Cecille Chalut, of France, helped two Jews who had escaped from a deportation train bound for concentration camp. She later sheltered one of them throughout the war, despite the danger to herself. She married him after the war. Tomorrow, she will plant a tree in the Avenue of Righteous Gentiles.

Wladyslaw and Wanda Wojcik were both active in aiding Polish Jews, providing them with work certificates, forged documents, and physical shelter. Wladyslaw, who was particularly effective in using his trade union contacts, has meanwhile died. His widow Wanda will on Sunday plant a tree in the Avenue of Righteous Gentiles commemorating their bravery.

Henryk Wroblewski, whose wife is Jewish, threw himself wholeheartedly into the effort to save Polish Jews after 1943. He established a complicated network of hiding places and bunkers, steadfastly withstood threats on his life, and continually risked exposure by informers. He will be honoured, also at the Yad Vashem Avenue on Sunday.

Singer misses cue

TEL AVIV (Itim). — Yizhar Cohen, Israel's winning Eurovision entry for 1978, failed to show up in the Magistrates Court here yesterday to face charges of failing to file income tax returns for 1976-78. A warrant was about to be issued for Cohen, of Givatayim, but his father appeared with a doctor's letter attesting to the singer's illness.

The hearing was deferred to May.

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Police chief wants unified anti-terror security system

By ASHER WALLFISH
Post Knesset Reporter

Police Inspector-General Herzl Shafir said yesterday the new concept he sought to introduce in Israel's internal security system would put the police in overall charge of the border police, the civil defence force (HAGA), the Civil Guard, the fire brigade and the Magen David Adom.

Briefing the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee, Rav-Nitzav Shafir said this overall framework should operate regularly and not just in an emergency. "I believe the Israel Defence Forces will agree to my plan though I have not yet broached it with them," he said.

Shafir said the police last year handled 60,000 calls in connection with terror or suspected terror incidents, such as unattended packages. "Most of the calls were false alarms but we want the public to carry on calling us in all cases of doubt," he said.

It was logical that the IDF should be responsible for all border localities, including Beit Shean, Kiryat Shmona and Nahariya, he said. The police would handle terror incidents elsewhere, he said.

Roadblocks foil demo over Abu Dis college

By IAN BLACK
Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Judea and Samaria military government yesterday effectively prevented Arab students from the West Bank from holding a demonstration near Jerusalem by setting up roadblocks on roads leading to the capital. The demonstration had been planned to protest the closure of the Abu Dis college.

The military government last week ordered the college closed because there was no need for another university in the area.

Arab educators had hoped that the college, which comprised a small faculty of science, would become part of a planned Jerusalem University, a project which was recently promised massive cash support by the joint Jordanian-PLO committee in Amman.

Military government sources say the closure decision was taken because there are already 13 institutes of higher education in the West Bank, and, with no pressure for places, there was no justification for opening another in Abu Dis. But Arab reaction has claimed that the move is an attempt to "eradicate the Arab character of Jerusalem." A large number of statements protesting the move have been published, in addition to telegrams sent to the Defence Ministry, foreign consulates, the International Red Cross and UNESCO.

In another issue, Arab sources continue to allege harassment of residents at the Jalazoun refugee camp near Ramallah by Israeli troops and settlers living nearby. Jalazoun, is one of several West Bank trouble spots where security forces have stepped up vigilance in recent weeks, largely to prevent stone-throwing at Israeli vehicles.

Military government sources again denied yesterday that a daily dusk to dawn curfew has been imposed on the camp, as residents claimed, but confirmed that many people had been questioned in connection with recent disturbances and that troops were present "24 hours a day."

Sixth fleet flagship Albany here

By YA'ACOV FRIEDLER
Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. — The commander of the U.S. Sixth Fleet, Vice-Admiral William N. Small, arrived on his first visit to Israel aboard the fleet's flagship, the USS Albany, yesterday morning, and later hosted Israel's top military brass at a luncheon.

Small, appointed to his command last July, told The Jerusalem Post that he would be meeting the O/C Israel Navy, Aluf Ze'ev Almog to discuss subjects of common interest, particularly in the area of technology. He will also visit a number of naval bases, including Sharm e-Sheikh, during the five-day stay. The admiral said he thought Israel's navy was of a size adequate to its tasks, but he wanted to learn more about it at first-hand.

The Albany, a guided missile cruiser with a complement of 850 men, arrived here after a four-day visit to Egypt.

Guests at yesterday's luncheon also included Chief-of-Staff Rav Aluf Rafael Eitan, Almog, O/C Air Force David Ivry, Haifa Mayor Arieh Gurel, and U.S. Ambassador Samuel Lewis.

Admiral Small will also meet Defence Minister Ezer Weizman.

The Sixth Fleet, usually numbering 35 to 45 ships, is presently down to 35. Some units have been sent to the Indian Ocean. The Mediterranean was now considered very stable, Small said.

One Sloma kidney transplant fails

A kidney transplanted from the body of Jehoshua Sloma, the 23-year-old Kiryat Arba yeshiva student-soldier murdered earlier this year in Hebron, has been rejected by the body of a Beersheba woman, a Hadassah hospital spokesman said yesterday.

Sloma's second kidney, which was transplanted into the body of a 12-year-old Arab girl, has been accepted, and the girl is due to go home at the end of the week.

The spokesman reported that the Beersheba woman has had the failed kidney removed and she is now connected to a kidney dialysis machine at the hospital.

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The convention will be opened at Beit Ha'am, Jerusalem, on Sunday, March 23 at 4.00 p.m. The second session will take place at 8.00 p.m. that day, and will continue for 4 days, with 3 sessions daily: at 9.30 a.m., and 3.30 and 8.00 p.m.
The 3rd session, on Monday, March 24, will be dedicated to the memory of Yigal Allon, who was to have delivered a lecture on: "The Moral Right of the Israelites to Settle in Canaan." This session will be chaired by Aharon Yadlin. Friends and all who cherish the memory of Yigal Allon are especially invited to take part in this session.
The 4th day of the conference, March 26, will be devoted to a study tour in the south of Israel, and in the areas of the Dead Sea and the Jericho Plain. At noon on that day, the 5th session will be held at the Arad Community Centre, and at 3.30 p.m., the closing session, at the Ein Gedi Field School.
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WORLD NEWS

Kabul claims Chinese, U.S. agents captured

NEW DELHI (UPI). — The Soviet-installed Afghan government said yesterday it had captured "Chinese agents" operating in the eastern province of Kunar and confirmed for the first time that it has an American in custody.

In an interview with the Press Trust of India news agency, Afghan Information Minister Majid Sarbiland said the American, identified as Robert Lee, and "a dozen" Pakistani agents were captured during riots that accompanied a general strike in February in which an estimated 500 people were killed protesting against the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan.

"These agents were caught red-handed," said Sarbiland. "They were indulging in arson and helping Afghans in subversive activities" during the riots. He gave no further details about the alleged Chinese agents.

Sarbiland said Lee and the Pakistanis had already appeared on television in Kabul. He did not say whether they would be tried or what might become of them.

He said the weapons and documents army officers seized from Lee, the Pakistanis and the Chinese "clearly show that the incidents of February 21 were due to foreign interference and intervention."

Indian news reports from Kabul also said that the Soviet-installed regime in Afghanistan has announced that its new budget requires a massive injection of financial aid from Moscow, mainly to buy food.

The budget includes $43m. in an outright Soviet grant for the purchase of food, the news agency said.



Soviet grandmaster Tigran Petrossian thinks for 15 minutes after Victor Korchnoi made his 46th move in the fifth match the two played in the World Chess Championships at Velden, Austria this week. Korchnoi, who walked away after the move, had nothing to worry about: Petrossian acknowledged defeat to leave Korchnoi a 3:2 lead. (UPI telephoto)

Soviets deny reports of deadly bacterial accident

MOSCOW. — The Soviet Foreign Ministry on Wednesday strongly denied reports of an explosion in a bacteriological weapons plant in a major Russian city killing 1,000 people.

In Washington, the U.S. State Department said in a statement that it had "disturbing evidence" that the Soviets were increasing their germ warfare capability, and that there were indications of an explosion in April 1979 at one such plant in the city of Sverdlovsk in the Ural mountains, 1,600 km. from Moscow.

The State Department said that Washington had asked Moscow for an explanation because both countries had signed an agreement outlawing biological warfare.

Department spokesman David Passage said the U.S. was not yet charging that the 1975 agreement was violated but "intends to pursue this matter as vigorously as the facts warrant."

He spoke of a reported outbreak of disease following accidental exposure of Soviet civilians to biological agents at Sverdlovsk, a steel-producing city of about a million people. The spokesman could not describe the magnitude of the illness nor say whether deaths occurred.

A spokesman for the Soviet Foreign Ministry said, "This is another blatant slander, another fabrication of anti-Soviet propaganda. The Soviet Union has acceded an appropriate convention which bans the production of bacteriological and chemical weapons, and the Soviet Union has always been complying with this convention."

Coincidentally, a widely distributed U.S. government publication on Tuesday reprinted British and West German news reports of separate Soviet accidents said to involve bacteriological weapons causing thousands of fatalities. (Reuter, UPI)

Another Italian judge slain

MILAN (UPI). — Gunmen from the leftist Front Line terror group fatally shot magistrate Guido Galli yesterday in the third leftist killing of an Italian judicial officer in four days.

Eyewitnesses said the gunmen, believed to number three, shot Galli inside the Milan State University campus and fled.

Soon after the killing, two callers told Milanese media offices that the Front Line was responsible for the slaying.

Galli is the 21st person to die in Italy this year as a result of political attacks.

On Tuesday, a Red Brigades terror unit boarded a Rome public transit bus and riddled Girolamo Minervini, 60, with bullets within days of his being named director general of prison reform and crime prevention at the justice ministry.

On Sunday night killers slew the Salerno state prosecutor, Nicola Giacumbi, 52, as his horrified wife looked on.

Shark bites man — on dry land

VELDDRIF, South Africa (UPI). — A fisherman was rushed to the hospital and given an emergency blood transfusion after he was savagely attacked by his dinner — a "dead" hammerhead shark — in a parking lot more than 100 metres from the beach, police said yesterday.

Mannetjies Binneman was walking home carrying the shark — which he intended to eat for dinner — by the tail when the supposedly dead fish wiggled out of his grasp and attacked him.

The shark ripped open Binneman's leg while the fisherman bashed the shark in the head with a club. He was taken to the hospital where doctors gave him an emergency blood transfusion and stitched up the cut.

A police spokesman said it was the first shark attack he had ever heard of on dry land.

Salvador junta blames leftists for 60 'martyrs'

SAN SALVADOR (UPI). — El Salvador's ruling junta charged that leftists "in search of martyrs" were responsible for 60 killings this week, and denied accusations that it repressed government opponents.

"This is not a repressive government," civilian junta member Jose Antonio Morales Erhlich said on Tuesday in denying charges by Amnesty International, the London-based human rights group.

He said the 60 people killed on Monday "were not the fruits of repression but rather of an aggression by leftists who provoke violence in search of martyrs."

Authorities in the Central American nation said 60 people were killed in firefights on Monday, but they said no one was killed or wounded in battles that raged at the National University campus for hours.

The Defence Ministry said that of the troops that surrounded the campus with armoured cars were injured in the clashes that began at dawn on Tuesday when the security forces withdrew.

But the private Salvadoran Human Rights Commission said it had reports of an undetermined number of dead and wounded at the university as well as some people killed in other gunbattles around the nation.

Egyptian gov't amends controversial anti-critics bill

By JONATHAN WRIGHT
Jerusalem Post Correspondent

CAIRO. — The Egyptian government has yielded to opposition pressure and has made important amendments in a controversial bill that would set up a "court of ethics" for punishing critics of the administration.

The amended draft, published yesterday, gives lawyers a majority of the seven seats in the court and removes the more extreme penalties for offences such as contempt for the state, denial of divine teachings, offending public sensibilities and intellectual corruption of young people.

Lawyers had said the first draft, which gave control of the court to parliamentarians, would have "shackled everyone's freedom," "suppressed thought and cultural development" and "meant a return to the days of dictatorship and detention camps."

Prime Minister Mustapha Khalil said the first draft had been leaked to the press in error and did not represent the real opinions of the ruling National Democratic Party or of President Sadat's politburo.

He said the court could deprive those found guilty, of the right to stand for public office, to found or join political parties or to work in positions where they might influence public opinion.

Under the first draft, those convicted could have been forced to stay in Egypt, to live in a specified area and to relinquish control of all their property.

All opposition parties as well as many prominent intellectuals and writers openly expressed their dismay at these harsh penalties and vaguely-defined offences.

55,000 refugees flee clash on Thai-Kampuchean border

BANGKOK (UPI). — A fierce battle erupted in a border-straddling refugee camp on Wednesday, sending more than 55,000 people fleeing for their lives across the frontier.

At least nine refugees were killed and 22 wounded in the day-long fighting at Camp Rehou, on the Thai-Kampuchean frontier about 250 km east of Bangkok.

The swaggering, gun-toting camp leader, self-styled "marshal" Van Saren claimed the fighting was sparked by a Vietnamese artillery barrage against the encampment shortly after dawn.

Western relief workers in the area, however, said the fighting broke out after one group of anti-communist Khmer Serai (free Kampuchean) soldiers attempted a coup against Van Saren and his leadership.

Van Saren's headquarters and another 23 buildings or thatched-roof huts were burned to the ground. Van Suren, who escaped apparently unscathed, told reporters at the border that his outpost had been set afire "by Vietnamese spies sent to infiltrate my camp."

There was no immediate confirmation of Van Saren's claim of artillery fire but Western analysts in the area said several mortars may have exploded during the battle.

Philippine terror

MANILA (Reuter). — Moslem rebels yesterday ambushed a logging company truck in the southwestern Philippine province of Zamboanga del Sur, killing a security guard and wounding another man, military sources said. Over 60 people have died and another 600 have been injured in this area in the past five weeks.

Ludwig Guttmann, 80, pioneer neurologist

AYLESBURY, England (Reuter). — German-born neurologist Sir Ludwig Guttmann, who revolutionized the treatment of the disabled a generation ago, died at his home here on Tuesday, aged 80.

A brilliant German Jewish brain surgeon who came to Britain as a refugee from the Nazis in 1939, he hinged his rehabilitation theories on sporting activity, not previously considered possible for severely handicapped people.

His single-minded approach — "my only politics is to help the disabled" — had its fruition in the international sporting competitions — or "wheelchair olympics" — held annually, usually at nearby Stoke Mandeville Hospital, for paraplegics, people paralysed through spinal cord damage.


Guttmann

Khomeini sponsors prisoner amnesty

TEHERAN (Reuter). — Sixty-one minor offenders yesterday walked out of Teheran's Evin Prison under a wide-ranging amnesty approved by Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini.

The revolutionary leader's amnesty, announced to coincide with a week of Persian new year celebrations, appeared aimed at creating a feeling of security for administration officials and clergy who cooperated with the shah's regime.

He declared that all agents of the former government who had not committed murder, torture or embezzlement were forgiven the cases of others would be t... ed.

Meanwhile, the count in troubled first-round parliamentary election proceeded slowly. Teheran electoral official... would not be completed in capital before April 4, whi... the favoured date for the ... round.

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UK navy gets the latest in carriers

PORTSMOUTH, England (AP). — The Royal Navy accepted delivery yesterday of HMS Invincible, an anti-submarine carrier built with the latest equipment, including sophisticated sonars.

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18.00 What's Up
ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes: 18.30 News roundup
18.32 Khalil's stories
19.00 Between Citizen and State — a panel answers questions from the audience
19.30 News

HEBREW PROGRAMMES resume at 20.00 with a news roundup
20.03 Programme Trailer
20.15 Match of the Week
21.00 Mabat newsreel
21.30 Documentary — The Reef at Ras Muhammed Life in the coral reef at Ras Muhammed
22.20 Mrs. Columbo: Murder is a parlour game.
23.10 Soap
23.45 Almost Midnight — news
JORDAN TV (unofficial): 17.40 Cartoons. 18.30 French Hour. 19.00 News in French. 19.10 (JTV 3) Peyton Place. 19.30 News in Hebrew. 20.00 News in Arabic. 20.30 The Muppet Show. 21.10 The Survivors. 22.00 News in English. 22.15 Movie of the week

ON THE AIR

First Programme

7.07 Rameau: Le Coq (Markevich); Ravel: Ma mere l'oye; Rimsky-Korsakov: Allegro from Coq d'or; Saint-Saens: Carnival of the Animals 8.03 Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 5; Mozart: Symphony no. 14 in A Major, K. 114 (Marriner); Brahms: Sextet in G Major op. 36 (Heifetz, Baker, Primrose); Shostakovich: Concerto for Piano, Trumpet and Strings
10.05 Radio story
10.15 Elementary School Broadcasts
10.50 Education for All
11.15 Elementary school broadcasts
12.05 (stereo): Boris Berman, harpsichord Couperin: Suite No. 23; Soler: Sonata; Mira Zakai, alto; Ruth Menzel, piano — Brahms: Nine Songs
13.00 Boyce: Symphony No. 7; Gershwin: Piano Concerto; Ravel: La Valse (Boulez)
14.10 Children's Programmes
15.25 Reflections on the portion of the week (repeat)
15.55 Notes on a new book
16.65 (stereo): Recordings of the Jerusalem Symphony Orchestra — Respighi: Ancient Airs and Dances, Suite No. 3 (Andres Jansen); Mendelssohn: Violin Concerto in D Major (Arieh Sade); Hindemith: Mathis der Maler (John Nelson); Schumann: Introduction, Scherzo and Finale (Sidney Harth)
17.35 Programmes for Olim
20.03 Music Magazine
21.00 Everyman's University
21.30 Talmud Lesson
21.50 Introduction to the Oral Law
22.05 (stereo): Prokofiev: Classical Symphony; Bellini: Oboe Concerto (Lothar Koch); Bartok: Rhapsody No. 2 (Yehoshua Epstein); Haydn: Symphony No. 60 in C Major, Il Distratto (Pinhas Steinberg)
23.25 (stereo): Jazz X 37
00.10 (stereo): Musical Miniatures

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7.00 This Morning — news magazine
8.10 Good Morning — songs, chat
10.10 At Home
12.05 Productive Pace
12.30 Road safety broadcast
13.05 Midday — news commentary, music
14.10 Stage and Screen — songs from musicals
15.05 Sephardi songs — recordings of a live performance
16.10 Any Questions?
17.10 Beautiful Land (repeat)
18.07 One People — magazine of the Jewish world
18.38 Sports Magazine
18.48 Bible Reading — Samuel II, 13: 1-22
19.00 Today — people and events in the news
20.10 Between Friday and Saturday — repeat broadcast of the weekend programme
21.05 Folksongs
22.05 "On a Deserted Island"
23.30 Just Between Us — Listeners air their problems

Army

6.30 University on the Air — Mariln Gilbert discusses Churchill's stand on the Zionist issue
7.07 "707" — Alex Aaski presents selections of music and items from the morning newspapers
8.03 IDF Morning newsreel
9.05 Songs
10.05 Morning Party
11.45 Quarter to Twelve — current affairs
12.05 Lunch Hour
14.05 Two Hours — music and talk magazine
16.05 Behind the Notes (repeat)
17.05 IDF Evening newsreel
18.05 Economics magazine
18.45 Hebrew Hit Parade
21.00 Mabat newsreel
21.35 University on the Air (repeat)
22.05 Scientific research in Israel — panel debate (part two, repeat)
23.05 Rondo
23.45 IDF Midnight newsreel
00.05 Night Birds — songs, chat

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…radley Graham in Bonn explains why Bavaria's state premier is learning to speak a new language

In from the cold

…ME when all good Cold War … have re-armed and re-… a curious thing has …ed to West Germany's …anti-Communist political … He will not put on his ar-

…s Josef Strauss, the … state premier who is a …te in this autumn's elec-…gainst Chancellor Helmut …, has surprised pundits and …ike in Germany by refrain-… his customary anti-Soviet …ing.

…uttering a few "I-told-you-…about the invasion of …stan, Strauss has shown …reluctance in backing …'s tough sanctions and … solid accent, like Schmidt, …ing detente.

…, many West Germans say …e having difficulty dis-…ing between Strauss and … on foreign policy. This has …or, among other things, …ess campaign fun than …e had expected.

…-year-old Strauss has been … figure on the right wing of …rman politics for virtually …e post-war era. He is the …e head of the Christian …t Union in Bavaria, the …arty to the vastly larger and …y more centrist Christian Democratic Union, which operates in nine other states. *He is regarded* as intelligent and politically gifted, with a good sense of humour.

His nomination as the opposition's candidate for chancellor promised to provide West Germany with the clearest choice ever between conservative policies and those of the left-of-centre coalition.

THAT WAS before Afghanistan, when issues such as nuclear power, the economy and taxes were expected to dominate the campaign. But *the Soviet invasion has taken* over the headlines in West Germany as in America and on the question of how Bonn should respond, Strauss appeared, especially *at first, to be seeking a balance* between defence and detente.

This is very close to Schmidt's position. Strauss even managed to bring Schmidt together with other *opposition leaders who earlier had* taken a harder stance in a private session to discuss the crisis. Lately, as independent polls show Schmidt's Social Democratic Party gaining and the opposition losing *slightly in popularity,* Strauss adopted a sharper tack.

He endorsed a boycott of the Moscow Olympics together with broader economic sanctions against the Soviets and a larger increase in West Germany's defence spending than the rise of 3 per cent in real terms that the government begrudgingly has agreed to. Strauss would double the number of frigates in the West German navy and persuade Europe to develop its own long-distance military air *transport capability.*

Openly upset by a recent American press report suggesting he had turned into an appeaser of the Communists, Strauss sought to *clarify his position during a lunch* with U.S. correspondents recently. The lunch was in anticipation of Strauss's visit to the United States, which will include a meeting with *President Carter.*

"The role of cold warrior is so identified with me that I don't have to apologize," he said. "My reputation in Moscow is not the most favourable."

STILL, while Schmidt and other senior Bonn officials were forced by circumstances last month to postpone visits to and from East European officials, Strauss dropped in on Rumanian party chief Nicolae Ceausescu in Bucharest.

The trip prompted political observers to ask whether Strauss had undergone a miraculous transformation or simply was practising shrewd election tactics. Where, it was queried, was that choleric rostrum-pounder Strauss, *who in 1974 said,* "What we need here in this country is the courageous citizen who chases the red rats where they belong"?

The answer appears to be that he *is reading the same public opinion* polls as Schmidt — which show West Germans to be more worried about the prospects for peace than at any time since the 1961 Berlin *crisis. Strauss apparently is engag*ed in a contest with Schmidt over who can look more statesmanlike.

"As a candidate, I must speak a different language than as a leader in parliament," he explained at the *lunch with correspondents.* "I must be careful and moderate in my statements."

With that, he warmed up, attacking Schmidt's government for having "confused and poisoned West Germany with a romantic illusion of detente," and for giving the word "solidarity" a "bad aftertaste." He said he prefers the term "common interest."

But, like Schmidt, he criticized Carter for failing in the past to consult enough with the NATO allies in matters that affected Europe. He also left the door open to the Soviet Union by reiterating a willingness to visit Moscow if the Kremlin invited him — although he asserted that he has "no intention of changing" his attitude.

What is the difference, he was asked, between what he calls his "realistic" detente and Schmidt's "romanticism?" "*The difference is* I see detente not as an end in itself, but as a method to reduce the conflict," he said.

(Washington Post News Service)



Franz Josef Strauss.... "I must be careful." Camera Press

Still riding high

By ALEXANDER ZVIELLI / Jerusalem Post Staff



…arles Moss Duke

"I WOULD love to visit the moon again," says Brigadier General Charles Moss Duke Jr., reminiscing about his first landing there on April 16, 1972. Tall and gentle, he speaks nostalgically of his unforgettable experience.

A member of the fifth manned *NASA* lunar mission, Duke was the first astronaut to explore the moon's rugged highlands.

On the moon, weighing one-sixth his earthly mass, he remembers feeling carefree, elated, as if he could set the world record in high jumping.

"I jumped a number of metres," he recalls. But lifting himself *off* the surface of the moon on one occasion caused his life-saving pack to pull him back unexpectedly and he lost his balance. His head jerked back, *increasing* the tension on the zipper of his suit. If the zipper had opened under pressure, he would have died on the spot. Was he scared? "Yes," he admits readily.

Duke and mission commander John Young completed a record lunar stay of 71 hours, 14 minutes. In three excursions on to the lunar surface they manoeuvred their vehicle, Rover 2, over the rough Caylay Plains to conduct experiments and collect rock and soil samples (which they were not allowed to keep). Rejoining Thomas K. Mattingly in the command module, the Apollo-16 crew returned to earth for a Pacific splashdown after 265 hours and 51 minutes in space.

BY HIS OWN admission, Duke has not been the same since: "The earth is so beautiful when seen up there," he said.

Shaken at first by the vibration of the Saturn engines during take-off, he took his first peek at our planet from the distance of some 28,000 kilometres. The earth was so beautiful with its white clouds and crystal blue seas against the blackness of the space that he wanted to cry: "*There is nothing in* space like our planet," he says.

Duke is also certain that this is no accident, but God's handiwork. Other planets might seem spectacular, interesting, even fascinating, but earth is really unique.

Born in 1935 in Charlotte, North Carolina, he began his air force career in 1957 after graduating from Annapolis Naval Academy in Maryland. He had logged over 4,000 hours of flying time, acquired a masters degree in engineering from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and was working as an instructor fighter-interceptor pilot when NASA picked him as one of 19 astronauts in 1966. Duke also served as part of the mission control team in Houston during the historic Apollo-11 mission, which landed the first men on the moon.

Despite his satisfaction in participating in the tremendous technical achievement of a moon flight and his awareness of how *many fields — nuclear scanning of* the human body, for example — are a direct fruit of NASA's atomic research, Duke admits that neither the moon flight itself nor the glory that followed it contributed to his personal happiness.

MARRIED and the father of two sons, he admits to having been restless, dissatisfied and in a marital crisis until he started reading the Bible.

Today, Duke claims, he is a happier man. He still believes in progress. He is sure that the future generations will exploit the moon as an energy-producing and research station. But for him, it is spiritual experience that is of paramount importance.

It colours his stay in Israel. He believes that the return of Jews is God's command and has an enormous respect for the Jewish faith and institutions.

"I have never felt so much at home and so happy as among you," he tells me. "And believe me, this is *not my last visit here.*"

Struggle for promotion

SOCCER PREVIEW / Paul Kohn

…e national team preparing …World Cup match against …n Ireland next Wednesday, …onal League games will be …this Saturday. But Second …games will be played.

…he'an Hapoel play league …Jerusalem Hapoel. While …lem Hapoel can feel …bly safe of promotion, Beit …ave a rare struggle on their …finish in the top three and …promotion next season to …ional League. Beit She'an …y lie in third place, three behind Jerusalem Hapoel, …mat Gan Hapoel are in …place, level on points, and …apoel are only one point within one point of Jerusalem Hapoel. Haifa Maccabi, too, have been playing better lately, as shown by their 2:1 victory over Beersheba Hapoel at Kiryat Eliezer last Saturday. This promises to be a hard-fought game with a possible splitting of points.

Beit She'an Hapoel held Tel Aviv Betar to a goalless draw after 120 minutes at this ground last week in a State Cup game and drew by the same score in Holon the week before. Such scores indicate a strong defence (pivoting around Zvi Kaplan), but a weak attack. Jerusalem Hapoel also drew their State Cup game 0:0 last week in Petah Tikva. The visitors can expect to salvage points from this tough encounter only if Nahum Tashma and Arie Barashai hit top form.

Second-placed Rishon Lezion Hapoel are at home to Haifa Maccabi. The wine-town team have now played 15 games without defeat thanks to a fine defence, and are

Two clubs with chances of gaining promotion clash in Acre. Acre Hapoel host Ramat Gan Hapoel in what could develop into a keen encounter between the sharper Acre attack and a tight Ramat Gan defence. Surprisingly, Acre Hapoel, with 34 goals, have scored more than any team in the Second Division and succeeded in ousting Bnei Yehuda, of the National League, when they won 1:0 in the State Cup last Saturday at this ground.

At the same time, Ramat Gan Hapoel went down by the same score away to Haifa Hapoel. Home-ground advantage should see Nabil Mansour, Timor Tchichashvili, Yehiel Hameiri and co. through to a valuable win.

Hadera Hapoel won their seventh round State Cup match by ousting Netanya Maccabi. A repeat performance against Herzliya Hapoel at the same ground should assure them of two home points.

Herzliya Maccabi did nearly as well in showing Yehud Hapoel the *way out of the cup competition.* They return to the same ground to play Tiberias Hapoel. The Herzliya team are bottom of the division and will be keen to collect any points they can. Their problem has been scoring goals, with only 14 netted in 22 league games.

Only two punters managed to correctly *forecast the outcome of all 13* State Cup games on the Sportoto football pool coupon last week. Each will collect IS150,000. Coupons showing 12 correct results are worth IS3,600.

Those with 11 correct win IS200; 10 results win IS20.

Sportoto announced a minimum total payout of IS600,000 after this week's games.

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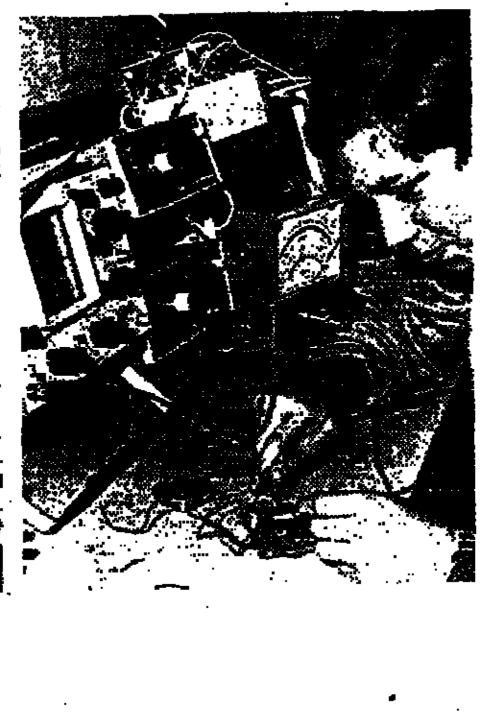
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Banks hold majority of assets in foreign coin

By MACABEE DEAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The majority of the assets of Israeli banks were in foreign currency for the first time, in 1979, Oded Messer, Examiner of Banks, said here yesterday.

In 1979, the total of all bank balance sheets from their activities within the country stood at IL1,207b. Of this sum, only IL597,-730,000 was in Israel pounds, and IL609,278,000 was in the equivalent of various foreign currencies. In the preceding years the majority of the assets was in Israel pounds, but the growth of foreign currency in the banks' assets has been steadily growing over the past years.

Messer pointed out that in 1978 the total of all bank balance sheets within Israel, not counting the assets of their branches abroad, had been IL548m. Although the figure for 1979 constituted a "nominal" growth of 120 per cent over the previous year, the "real" growth was 12 per cent.

He compared this to the 5 per cent growth in the GNP in 1979, but pointed out that much of the growth in the banking system was due to more activity within the banks themselves. Nevertheless, the banking system had grown faster than the GNP.

To the figure of IL1,200b. within Israel must be added the total of Israeli bank branches abroad. This would add another $6b. to $6.5b., or another IL220b. to IL230b.

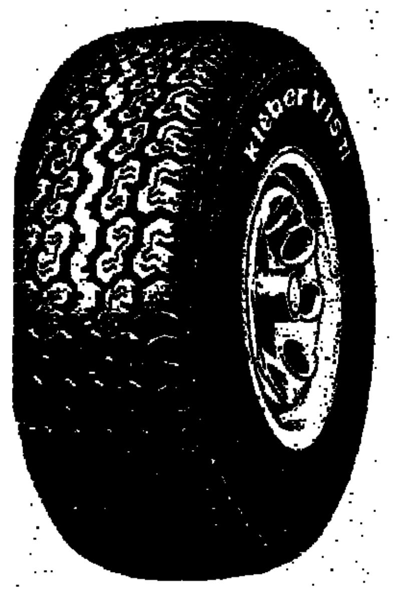
The foreign branches made "nice" profits, if not as high as those of the local banks abroad.

The Big Three banks, Leumi, Hapoalim and Discount, continued in 1979 to account for about 91 per cent of all banking activity (as they had done in 1978). The remaining 9 per cent of business was in the hands of all other banks.

There were 996 bank branches in the country in 1978. This figure grew by 24 branches to 1,020 at the end of 1979. However, the number of employees grew by 9.3 per cent in 1979 (to reach about 30,000), while the overall growth of the labour force grew by only 2.3 per cent. Thus, the banks increased their number of employees much faster than the general average of the economy.

Prof. Yair Orgler, of Tel Aviv University, pointed out that the wages of bank employees increased only moderately, by 10 to 12 per cent in 1979 in "real" figures.

Messer said that "in relation to their paid-up capital, the banks lost 2.7 per cent in 1979, that is to say, they did not make any real profit." However, this erosion was due to taxes.



Arab boycott does not deter French tire firm

By YORAM BAR
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The French tire and industrial rubber company, Kleber-Colombes, will try to expand its sales in Israel with the introduction of a new tire which is supposed to be "more advanced and reliable" than those on the market now.

In a press conference here yesterday the company's representative said that his firm started activities here in 1973 and today sells 9 per cent of all tires bought here.

Kleber-Colombes' production manager, Bernard Zammith, said that his company markets its products in about 100 countries. In answer to a question he said that he was not afraid of the Arab boycott, because until today Kleber has not been pressured in any way by Arab countries.

No dilly-dallying with VAT payments

HAIFA. — Customs authorities here have started tightening up on VAT collection, and after the first three days a cash flow of hundreds of thousands of shekels has already started, *The Jerusalem Post* has learned.

Managers of factories with turnovers in excess of IS1m. a year, who have fallen behind in their VAT payments or their reporting, have been called in for "questioning" at Customs House and asked to make good their arrears. They were warned that non-compliance could lead to indictments.

Dangerously low safety standards alleged

'Scandalous' attitude to crowded airlanes to be probed

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The squabble about airspace and dangerously low safety standards was aired yesterday before the Knesset Economic Committee, which called for the establishment of a public commission that would present its recommendations within a month.

The director-general of the Airports Authority, Ramon Harel, bitterly criticised the Transport Ministry, alleging that "the treatment by the minister, the director-general and the ministry's Civil Aviation Directorate borders on the scandalous. These people are not familiar with flight problems, do not recognize their seriousness and their handling of them is irresponsible," he charged.

The Transport Ministry responded later in the day by issuing an emphatic statement, maintaining that the allocation, planning and control of airspace, including coordination with the Air Force, has been the full and sole responsibility of the Airports Authority since March 1979.

Yesterday's debate follows a number of press reports that the confusion of responsibilities between the various organizations has led to a dangerous situation in the air. Representatives of the Air Traffic Controllers Association said yesterday that minimal airspace must be allocated to civil aviation and that military aircraft must be forbidden from entering this area, otherwise it would be impossible to avoid collisions between military and civilian aircraft.

The air traffic controllers and the Israel Pilots' Association have on a number of occasions divulged that the incidence of "near-misses," in the air has increased since Israel withdrew from Sinai. The Air Force now finds itself with more aircraft in a smaller area. A particular problem arises when military air traffic has to "cross-over" the airspace around Ben-Gurion Airport, which is controlled by civilian air traffic controllers. This includes the international air lanes approaching the Israeli coast from the sea.

Last month the pilots' association also warned that the Air Force demand that they reroute the flight path to Eilat so as to avoid overflying the new bases being established in the Negev, would increase costs by so much as to endanger the viability of flying to the city.

It appears that some compromise has been reached on this particular subject, based on allocating a narrow air corridor to civilian traffic at specific times of the day.

MK Gad Ya'acobi, chairman of the Economic Committee, called for the establishment of a public commission of independent professionals, which would present its recommendations regarding the delegation of authority between the various organizations within a month.

Suez Canal bypass cost $50m

PORT SAID (UPI). — Authorities yesterday inaugurated a 26 km. channel branching from the Suez Canal south of Port Said and linking with the Mediterranean. The channel took 15 months to dig at a cost of $50m.

The Port Said Bypass will allow giant oiltankers coming from the Red Sea to reach the Mediterranean without going through the Port Said harbour, while other vessels pass the Suez Canal itself at the same time in the opposite direction.

The opening of the new channel, in addition to three bypasses already in existence, will allow traffic to flow through the canal in opposite directions at the same time for about one third of its entire 160 km. length.

The original canal, dug more than 110 years ago, permi[tted one-]way traffic only.

With the new bypass, the [...] 15 hours taken by a convoy [to tran]sit the Canal will be cut by [...] a half hours.

Suez Canal Authority ch[airman] Mashhour Ahmed Mashho[ur ...] work on the Port Said bypass in January 1978 and a total o[f ...] cubic metres of sand were [...] by giant Egyptian, Japane[se ...] Italian dredgers.

Another bypass running [...] km. through Lake Timsah [...] halfway along the Canal, [was in]augurated a year ago.

The two bypasses, in add[ition to] old bypasses at El Ballah [in the] Canal's northern sector, [...] Bitter Lakes in the southern [...] total about 68 km., which is over one third of the Canal's [...] length.

Italian press lists 33,000 tax evaders

MILAN (AP). — Italian newspapers yesterday printed the names of 33,000 persons who are suspected of having evaded taxes between 1974 and 1976.

The roster, compiled by Italy's Central Tax Office, included all businessmen, professionals and owners of small and medium-size industries, but none of the top names of Italy's finance and industry. Some foreigners, most of them long-time residents, were also on the list.

Those on the list may appeal the Tax Office's finding, pay the assessed taxes or face prosecution.

Italy's largest daily newspaper, Corriere della Sera, devote[d ...] pages to print the list of tho[se ...] in the Milan area and wr[ote a] front-page editorial that "[the fight] against tax evasion is [...] challenge of the 1980s." [News]papers throughout the [country] published the names fro[m their] regions.

Italy loses an estimated [...] revenues because of tax [...] and officials say professio[nals and] service employees, whose [...] is difficult to monitor, are th[e main] culprits.

The people on the list paid [on] average only one-third o[f their] assessed taxes.

New product by Salvaplast promises better treatment of burn wounds

TEL AVIV. — Two new products — claimed to be the first of their kind in the world — will soon be put on the market by Salvaplast, of Petah Tikva, which makes a wide variety of sterile bandages for the medical profession and the general public.

The firm's new sanitary napkin, which contains a special chemically treated pulp, will increase absorption by more than 50 per cent. Although the pulp itself is imported from the U.S., the only country where it is made, it is not yet being used there for this purpose.

Micha Yonath, director-general of the firm, pointed out that about half the women here preferred the use of sanitary napkins to tampons.

The other new product, called Idoplex, consists of a dressing treated with an iodine salve, which destroys both bacteria and fungi. The dressing was specially designed to cover wounds caused by burns.

Dr. Yitzhak Blank, head of the B.L. Laboratories, who devised the method, noted that his interest was aroused after the Yom Kippur War, in which many soldiers were badly burned after their tanks were hit and went up in flames.

"Formerly, burn dressings not only had to be changed every six hours, but changing bandages was often very painful. The new bandage and its iodine salve, which is released slowly, has to be changed only once every three days, and changing itself is not painful," the chemist said.

The bandage has been tested in several thousand cases, mainly at Rambam Hospital in Haifa.

"Some IL3m. was invested in developing this method," Blank said, adding that "patents throughout the world have already been obtained."

In 1979, Salvaplast, which is owned by Tius, itself owned by Hevrat Ovdim, exported goods valued at $1m., mainly to Greece, Italy, Spain, Kenya, Nigeria, Ethiopia, Australia and Thailand.

Shavit proposes new El Al chief

By MICHAL YUDELMAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — El Al board chairman Avraham Shavit is opposed to the appointment of the airline's acting general manager Rafi Har-Lev to the post on a permanent basis, and will instead propose to the board of directors next week that Yitzhak Shander, manager of El Al charter services, get the job.

Har-Lev's term as acting general manager ends April 1. He has been serving since last July, when Mordechai Hod resigned, and is considered a tough, decisive executive, who enjoys worker support.

Shavit told senior El Al members yesterday that his desire to appoint Shander as acting general manager was part of the airline's new policy to focus on its commercial development and increase profits. It was also learned that Shander's appointment is considered an example of the management's willingness to promote capable senior workers to high positions.

"We're tired of letting the workers run this airline," a management source said yesterday, adding, "although Shavit thinks that Har-Lev is a good executive, he decided to turn over a new leaf in relations between workers and management. That is the real reason for Har-Lev's leaving."

Channel tunnel at last?

LONDON (Reuter). — Britain yesterday gave the go-ahead for a tunnel link to the rest of Europe, if it was paid for by private investment.

This conditional approval for the scheme, first thought of by Napoleon in 1802, edged it closer to being built after many abortive attempts.

Use of study fund money broadened

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Members of study fund schemes will soon be permitted to transfer their accumulated moneys to regular saving schemes, which they can then use either for study or for any other purpose.

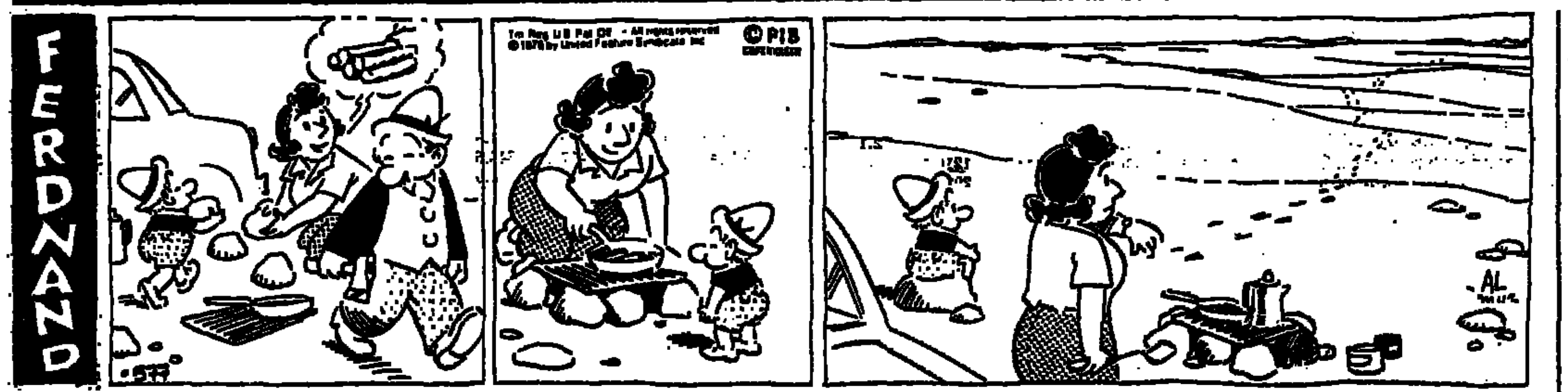
If the saver decides to use his money for a purpose other than study, he will have to wait six years before he is free to do so. The waiting period for study purposes is only three years.

Wage earners who retire will be able to withdraw their savings in such funds irrespective of their length of membership or the time since they last went on a study tour.

The new arrangement, which was agreed on between Civil Service Commissioner Eitan Jacobson and the chairman of the Histadrut Trade Union Division, Yisrael Kessar, will come into force on May 1.

Members of study funds will also be able to transfer their sa[vings, in]cluding the employer's c[ontribu]tion, to any bank saving [scheme] after six years.

Anyone making use of [this] arrangement will, of co[urse, be] able to continue saving on [the] conditions beyond the orig[inal six-]year period.



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Haifa District Court
Probate and Administration
File 335/80

In the matter of the will of the late ALEXANDER BLACK, deceased on December 14, 1977 in Northern Ireland.
Petitioners JOSEPH AND DAVID BLACK
Citation. Be it known that an application has been filed in this court for probate of the will of the above deceased person and for the appointment of administrator, and I hereby cite all persons who wish to oppose the probate of the will to submit their objections within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, as otherwise the court will make such order as it may deem fit.

H. Pizam
Judge, Registrar

Haifa District Court
Legacies File 434/80

In the matter of the late ARON SOURY, deceased on April 15, 1977 in the U.S.A.
Petitioner: FRIDA SOURY
Citation: Be it known that an application has been filed in this court for a succession order for the above deceased person. I hereby cite all persons who wish to oppose the application, to submit their objections within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, as otherwise the court will make such order as it may deem fit.

H. PIZAM
Judge, Registrar

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2210 El Al 378 Copenhagen
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0940 El Al 357 Frankfurt
1020 El Al 323 Paris
1040 El Al 377 Copenhagen
1305 THY 825 Istanbul
1430 Sabena 202 Brussels
1440 Austrian 712 Vienna
1550 Lufthansa 605 Frankfurt
1815 Airfrance 131 Nice, Paris
1620 Condor 3511 Dusseldorf
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IN THE HAIFA MAGISTRATE'S COURT
22 Hehalutz St.
Misc. App. 297/80

Professor Azriel Evisar, the Ap[plicant]
vs. 1. Eli Asado; 2. Ester Vi[ner ...]
Iran Wagner — the Respondent[s]
Interpleader Summons

To: — Ester Viner, alias Iran W[agner], address unknown.
Whereas Professor Azriel Evi[sar has] filed an affidavit (a copy of which [is filed] in the registry office of this co[urt and] will be given to you on request) [stating] that he is liable to receive [...] claims from you and from Eli A[sado in] the matter of money he ha[s ...] from you.
You are therefore Summoned to [appear] at the Magistrate's Court of H[aifa, 22] Hehalutz St. on the 14th day o[f ...] 1980 at 08.30 o'clock in the fo[renoon] before his honour Judge Jera[...] judgment will be given determin[ing the] rights and claims of the said El[i Asado] and yourself.
You are required within 7 days [of the] publication of this summons to [file at] the Court Registry either these [...] a notice that you make no claim[, or] copies of particulars stating the [grounds] of your claim.

Dated this 10th day of February [1980]

Yehuda Cohen
Court Secretary
Magistrate's Court
Haifa

To the
Chairman of the Society
for the Advancement of Education in Kadima
in the Name of Ben Silverman
The Local Council of Kadima
KADIMA

1 February 19[80]
1705/1

Dear Sir,

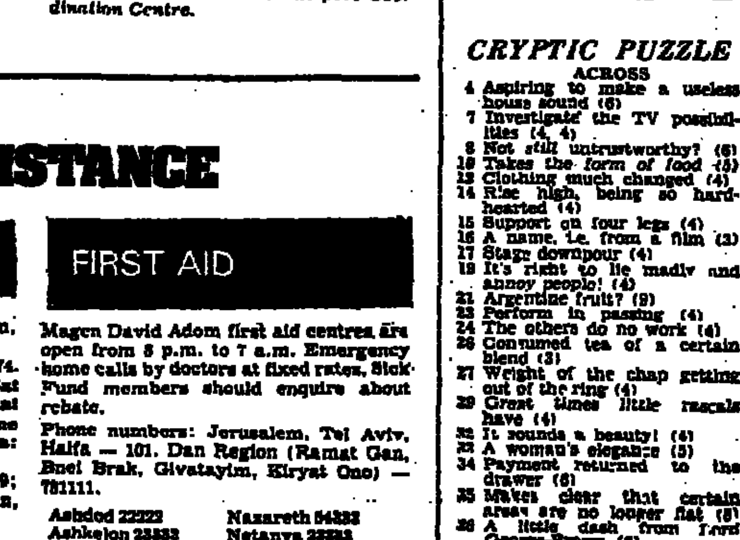
I have the honour to confirm receipt of your announcement *of 14.1.1980 on the establishment o[f an]* Ottoman Society in accordance with Paragraph 6 of the Ottoman Law together with the Statutes of t[he] Society as follows:

Name of the Society:	The Society for the Advancement of Education in Kadima in th[e] name of Ben Silverman
Address of the Society:	The Local Council, Kadima
Objectives of the Society:	Establishment and administration of funds for the advancement o[f] education, culture, the community and sport in Kadima.

Yours faithfully,
A. Chayoun
In Charge of Central District.

TWO-IN-ONE CROSSWOR[D]

Use the same diagram for either the Cryptic or the Easy puzzle.



CRYPTIC PUZZLE

ACROSS
4 Aspiring to make a useless house sound (6)
7 Investigate the TV possibilities (4, 4)
8 Not still untrustworthy? (6)
10 Takes the form of food (5)
13 Clothing much changed (4)
14 Rise high, being so hard-hearted (4)
15 Support on four legs (4)
16 A name, i.e. from a film (3)
17 Stage downpour (4)
19 It's right to lie madly and annoy people! (4)
21 Argentine fruit? (9)
23 Perform in passing (4)
24 The others do no work (4)
26 Consumed tea of a certain blend (3)
27 Weight of the chap getting out of the ring (4)
29 Great times little rascals have (4)
32 It sounds a beauty! (4)
33 A woman's elegance (5)
34 Payment returned to the drawer (6)
35 Makes clear that certain areas are no longer flat (8)
36 A little dash from Lord George-Brown (6)

DOWN
1 Grand girl, usually reflective (5)
2 Land a heavy blow on part of the bread-basket! (5)
3 Pest of tools (4)
4 Prophet who had a little house by the sea (5)
5 Two ducks bagged by a sportsman, perhaps (4)
6 A hairy weed, usually in bed (6)
8 Tweedy man in a boat? (6)
11 Even the best can be whipped! (3)
12 The warrant officer's place in Scotland (5)
13 All over an officer (7)
15 Large as a wig may be (3)
16 Pale liquid (3)
18 One luring swimmers to their fate? (6)
20 Bury in nitre possibly? (5)
21 The club connection? (3)
22 One colour or about 500 (3)
23 It's hard to get a fish into a pen! (6)
25 A Scot at Fleetwood? (3)
26 Like days of golden opportunity (5)
28 They spread from a centre right at an early date (5)
31 A feeling for the meaning of things (5)
32 Town entered weekly? (4)
33 A striking game, of course (6)

EASY PUZZLE

ACROSS
4 Help (6)
7 Withdraws (8)
8 Contestant (6)
10 Tall Chimney (5)
13 Pile (4)
14 Unaccompanied (4)
15 Hypocritical talk (4)
16 Cook in fat (3)
17 Stingy (4)
19 Notion (4)
21 Deserted (9)
23 Fail to hit (4)
24 Girl (4)
26 For each (3)
27 Layer (4)
29 Cabbage (4)
32 Wagers (4)
33 Daisy-like flower (5)
34 Prior to (6)
35 Tunes (8)
36 Has faith in (6)

DOWN
1 Angry (5)
2 Thieve (5)
3 Financial institution
4 Tree (5)
5 Open-hande[d ...]
6 Ridge of mountain[s ...]
9 South Eur[opean] types (6)
11 Upper part [...]
12 Hair-straightener [...]
13 Treats (7)
15 Tin (3)
16 Nourished (...)
18 Religious [...] (6)
20 Items of [furni]ture (5)
21 Ventilate (3)
22 Paddle (3)
23 Heavenly (6)
25 Drink (3)
28 Articles (5)
30 Loft (5)
31 Rub out (5)
32 Employer (4)
33 Presently (4)

Yesterday's Cryptic Solution
ACROSS.—1, Tomato. 7, Menswear. 8, Mule. 10, Season. 11, Mi-rage. 14, Me-W. 15, Rayon. 17, Head. 19, Coley. 21, Pares. 22, Times. 23, Moss. 25, S-at-in. 28, Fur. 29, Fri-N-ce. 30, Basalt. 31, Abel. 32, Inspects. 33, Hammer (smith).
DOWN.—1, To-ss-Ed. 2, Altered. 3, O-men. 4, As-pires. 5, Dec-ay. 6, Green. 7, Ma-ma. 9, Tow. 12, Ray. 13, G-own-s. 15, Go-red. 16, Edgar. 18, Cam. 20, Let. 21, Pinched. 22, Tin. 23, M-ass-um. 24, Or-Al. 25, Setter. 26, S-pa-in. 27, Tipsy. 28, Fab. 30, Ba-sh.

Yesterday's Easy Solution
ACROSS. — 1, Clever. [...] plots. 8, Area. 10, Mortal. [...] Humans. 14, Out. 15, Galen. [...] Rose. 19, Fight. 21, Hates. [...] Hotel. 25, Sash. 26, Heron. [...] Pal. 29, Orator. 30, Rarit[...] Undo. 32, Exported. 33, Knit[...]
DOWN.—1, Calmer. 2, V[...] 3, Real. 4, Plough. 5, Ki[...] Ashes. 8, Area. 9, Eat. 12, [...] 13, Nests. 15, Allies. 16, O[...] 18, Pal. 20, Gel. 21, Honour[...] Hot. 23, Sandal. 24, Alb[...] Hermit. 26, Hovel. 27, Ramp[...] Pan. 30, Rude.

SOLUTIONS TO TODAY'S PUZZLE TOMORROW

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…loser on industry tax breaks

By SHLOMO MAOZ
Post Economic Reporter

…tion members on the … Finance Committee … voted down Industry, and Tourism Minister Gi… …att's appeal against a … amendment to the Stock … law, lowering the break it … industrialists from IS1.5b. … in during the coming year. … stuck to his guns for the … committee session, arguing … change would harm in… He joked that he did not … see a committee appointed … care of his ministry as … Minister Menahem Begin had done for agriculture, appointing a committee of ministry director-generals to deal with its problems.

The final version of the law, to be presented soon to the Finance Committee for approval, calls for stock relief at 30 per cent of the increase in inventory value during a tax year, up to a ceiling of 75 per cent of a firm's assets or up to 50 per cent of its taxable profits, whichever is less.

In other words, a company will pay at least half the taxes it would have paid had it not been eligible for stock relief according to the terms of the law.

HAMMER TO MINISTERS

(Continued from page 3)

…the formation of what in … Labour governments was … as "the kitchen cabinet" … ideas and proposals "could … brought up in a limited … of ministers and decisions … without publicity. This is a … more efficient way of dealing … problems than by hurling … to mid-air to be featured by … ia before serious discussion … ue in the government," … argued.

…eed now, he said, was "to … the Begin government to the … functioned in its first three … of office. The next month … be crucial for the … ment," he said. It will be a … of grace in which ministers … to demonstrate their abili… …t along and cooperate with … other."

…ring to the Burg-Peres … and the talk about early … , Hammer said, "there is … action between the two. It is … that Dr. Burg felt that in … of early elections he … will be able to hold on to his … one position in the NRP. … 1981 elections would make … as uncertain because of his age. His position as party leader is assured for as long as he wants it and he knows that I and my colleagues would support him. He is in no hurry to topple the government," Hammer claimed.

It had been said that Burg's talks with Peres came as a reprisal against the NRP Young Guard, headed by Hammer, for its intimations that it might challenge Burg's leadership.

Hammer conceded that some members of the NRP Knesset faction may have been influenced to drop talk about early elections because of public opinion polls indicating that Labour might win an absolute majority, freeing it of the need to form a coalition with the NRP.

He said no one in the NRP had taken any part in any contacts to replace Prime Minister Begin as head of the coalition. "Our relations with Begin have been excellent and we owe him a certain debt, although we have also been on good terms with Ezer Weizman. In all, the Likud has been very fair to us, and we owe it total loyalty until we feel that continued partnership is bad for the nation. But we are far from thinking that we have reached such a stage," Hammer stated.

Visitors coming on charter flights spend more money than others

By SHLOMO MAOZ
Jerusalem Post Reporter

Tourists arriving here as part of organized package tours spend more money than tourists who arrive in other ways. This emerges from a survey conducted in February and March 1979, which was released by the Central Bureau of Statistics yesterday.

These findings contradict El Al's contention that tourists coming on charter flights spend less than those arriving on scheduled flights. On the basis of this argument, El Al has in the past demanded that charter flights to Israel be curtailed.

Tourists arriving on organized tours which included organized sightseeing trips spent about $810 each, compared to an expenditure of only $750 per regular tourist.

The survey also indicates that Swiss and German tourists spend the largest sums per capita, about $1,000. French tourists average $900 each and Americans and Dutchmen $800. Australian tourists spent the least, averaging only about $450.

The average outlay per tourist was $780 per visit, and the average stay was 18 nights, meaning an average expenditure of $43 a day.

Some 46 per cent of tourists said they intend to return for a second visit within two years.

Polysarig Textiles opens new TA plant

By MACABEE DEAN
Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The Polysarig textile factory, which will be formally inaugurated here today, expects to export goods valued at $5m. during the current year to West Germany. Itamar Gerstl, managing director of the plant, said yesterday.

The plant actually opened in 1978, and during the first year of activities, in which it was run in, exports totalled $800,000. Last year, they jumped to $2m.

The plant employs 170 persons, about half of them women.

Polysarig is owned 60 per cent by Schiesser Holdings, which is registered in Zurich, and which has far-ranging interests in West Germany, supplying high-quality underclothing to exclusive shops. Its turnover in West Germany last year was DM400m.

The remaining 40 per cent are owned by Polygon Textile Dyeing Works, of Haifa. The two partners also have another plant in Tamara, in the Galilee, which employs 120 persons, and which was opened 18 months ago. A third plant is planned for Ussifiya.

Hardship area tax payers get a break

Post Economic Reporter

Tax deductions for residents in border towns, hill areas, the Negev and new settlements will be increased significantly beginning next month, according to a request submitted yesterday by Finance Minister Yigael Hurvitz to the Knesset Finance Committee.

The maximum monthly deduction will rise from the present IS81.20 to IS235.90, by applying the already existing 7 per cent reduction, which will remain the same, to the second as well as to the lowest income tax bracket.

Since the tax tables themselves are also being updated in April, the change will mean a large jump in deductions for the group. Salaries of up to IS1,840 a month will be subject to 18 per cent tax instead of 25, and wages of over that amount, up to IS3,370, will be subject to 28 per cent tax instead of 33 per cent.

A person making IS3,370 a month will pay IS561.50 in taxes instead of IS827.70.

Selling further lowers prices

Market report

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN

TEL AVIV. — The prices of shares continued to move lower as trading turnovers showed signs of dwindling. Expectations of possible major losses in the wake of new regulations allowing shares to fluctuate by as much as 25 per cent, after two sessions of being marked as "sellers only" did not materialize. Trading in equities totalled IL114.2m.

Index-linked bonds were generally mixed, on a very moderate volume of IL59.4m. Most groups were either unchanged or showed slight gains. The only exception was the 80 per cent linked bonds, which fell by as much as 2 per cent. This month this group has been the best gainer among all linked bonds.

The Israel pound lost 13 agorot vis-à-vis the American dollar.

Commercial bank shares continued to move against the general trend. IDB and Leumi were 3 better, while Hapoalim was rising by 4 points. General Bank rose by 3, while Union and FIBI were ahead by 2 points. Mizrahi did not trade due to a mistake in the bank's announcement relating to ex-dividend dates.

Mortgage bank issues were lower and were led by Carmel (b), which fell by 7.7 per cent.

Insurance stocks were broadly lower. Yardenia IL5 was off by 5 per cent. Others in the group fell by smaller margins.

Land development and real estate issues continued to move to lower price levels. Losses were generally about 3 per cent. Rassco ordinary shares were the exception as they were registered "buyers only" and were fixed higher automatically by 5 per cent.

There was no respite from the selling which has engulfed industrial issues. Elbit IL5 lost nearly 8 per cent, while Elco IL1 was "sellers only." Argaman pref. (b) was down by 7 per cent. Molett moved lower by 5.1 per cent, but AIPM regained some of its recent losses by rising a full 5 per cent.

Teva (b) was in demand and was registered as "buyers only." Electric Wire and Cables was down by nearly 7 per cent.

Investment company stocks were mostly mixed. Elgar (b) was down by 6.5 per cent, as was the case with Wolfson IL10 (b). Gaining shares, however, were only higher by smaller margins.

Tel Aviv Stock Exchange

Comm Banks & Bankholding	Closing price	Volume IL1,000	Change
IDB prf	2810.0	7.0	+10.0
IDB	634.0	863.5	+3.0
IDB B	634.0	20.2	+3.0
IDB prf A	740.0	4.2	+3.0
IDB op 4	1168.0	74.2	+20.0
IDB op 5	672.0	159.5	+12.0
IDB op 6	528.0	181.8	+8.0
Union	732.0	206.3	+2.0
Union op	1160.0	12.0	n.c.
Union op 3	565.0	65.6	n.c.
Union op 4	267.0	189.7	—3.0
Union 18%sc	281.0	179.2	n.c.
Union 18%sc5	183.0	61.6	n.c.
Discount	849.0	8.0	+4.0
Discount A	849.0	12.2	+4.0
Discount A5%sc	296.0	292.1	+1.0
Mizrahi r	—	—	—
Mizrahi b	—	—	—
Mizr op 1	—	—	—
Mizr op 2	—	—	—
Mizr op 3	—	—	—
Mizr op 4	—	—	—
Mizr 15%sc2	—	—	—
Mizr 20%sc4	—	—	—
Mizr 18%sc5	—	—	—
Mizr 18%sc6	—	—	—
Mizr sc7	—	—	—
Hapoalim prf	946.0	5.3	n.c.
Hapoalim r	920.0	1284.4	+4.0
Hapoalim b	801.0	149.9	+4.0
Hap 50%div	906.0	26.3	+4.0
Hap op 3	1585.0	2.5	+26.0
Hap op 2	1380.0	15.5	n.c.
Hap op 4	963.0	128.7	+5.0
Hap op 5	571.0	249.1	+9.0
Hap op 7	554.0	57.5	+5.0
Hap op 9	910.0	—	—
Hap 10%sc1	393.0	261.0	+3.0
Hap 18%sc6	274.0	277.6	+2.0
Hap 18%sc8	593.0	294.9	+3.0
General	263.0	88.6	n.c.
General 18%sc4	793.0	1602.7	+3.0
Leumi	786.0	55.9	+8.0
Leumi op 1	1910.0	41.5	n.c.
Leumi op 2	1070.0	109.3	+10.0
Leumi op 4	506.0	504.3	+4.0
Leumi 18%sc6	549.0	20.7	+2.0
Leumi 18%sc7	486.0	1.0	+2.0
Leumi 18%sc8	295.0	10.7	+2.0
OHH r	778.0	15.6	+3.0
OHH b	778.0	21.6	+3.0
Internat 6%sc1	295.0	2299.5	—3.0
FIBI	631.0	625.0	+2.0
Mortgage Banks			
Gen Mtg r	595.0	65.6	+1.0
GMg b	501.0	2.1	+1.0
GenMg op 114	1210.0	—	—
GenMg op 117	299.0	64.2	n.c.
GenMg 18%db116	184.0	10.0	n.c.
Carmel r	200.0	254.4	—9.0
Carmel b	229.0	17.7	—19.0
Car opA	83.0	139.9	—7.0
Car 18%db10	c83.5	286.7	—5.0
Mortg&Inv	304.0	—	—
Dev&Mtg r	225.0	316.7	—3.0
Dev&Mg b	232.0	67.3	—3.0
Dev&Mg op 88	385.0	25.4	—5.0
Dev&Mg op 95	143.0	32.5	—2.0
Dev&Mg 18%db87	185.0	20.0	n.c.
Dev&Mg 18%db94	118.0	40.0	—2.0
HousMtg r	529.0	110.1	n.c.
HousMtg b	540q0	13.0	+3.0
HousMtg op 1	653.0	37.0	[illegible]
HousMtg op 2	520.0	31.4	[illegible]
Tefahot prf r	420.0	220.1	—20.0
Tefahot prf b	420.0	112.6	—20.0
Tefahot r	415.0	549.5	—20.0
Tefahot b	415.0	204.9	—20.0
Merav	500.0	171.6	n.c.
Merav op 1	428.0	31.8	n.c.
Specialized Financials			
Shilton r	90.0	1028.2	—5.0
Shilton b	96.0	87.0	—5.0
Shilton opA	92.0	247.3	+6.0
Shilton opB	110.0	181.4	—5.0
Shilton 18%db1	85.0	337.7	—5.5
Shilton 18%db2	99.0	252.0	—.5
OtzLatasiya r	560.0	32.0	+1.0
OtzLatasiya b	563.0	3.5	+1.0
Ampal	509.0	—	—
AgricultureA	108.0	9.0	—5.5
IndDev prf	120.0	58.5	—2.0
Insurance			
Aryeh	545.0	92.4	n.c.
Aryeh op	1070.0	7.0	n.c.
Aryeh sc5	132.0	289.0	—2.0
Ararat IL1	138.5	83.5	—7.0
Ararat IL5	100.0	235.6	—3.5
Hassneh r	478.0	248.4	+2.0
Hassneh b	483.0	95.7	+2.0
Hassneh op	288.0	70.9	n.c.
Phoenix IL1	520.0	43.3	n.c.
Phoenix IL5	426.0	22.0	n.c.
Yardenia IL1	133.0	27.4	—7.0
Yardenia IL5	111.0	196.4	—5.0
Sahar r	341.0	44.4	—2.0
Sahar b	360.0	22.3	—10.0
Sahar op	90.0	108.5	+8.0
Sahar 18%db	83.0	340.1	—4.0
Securitas	497.0	120.6	+5.0
Secur op	256.0	531.9	+10.0
Zur r	394.0	95.2	n.c.
Zur b	392.0	10.0	n.c.
Comm,Service &Utilities			
Motor House	—	—	—
Delek r	201.0	558.0	n.c.
Delek b	223.0	46.0	+5.0
Delek op 1	977.0	15.0	n.c.
Delek20%db2	307.0	15.2	n.c.
ColdStorageIL1	—	—	—
ColdStorIL10	550.0	34.0	+5.0
ColdStor opA	241.0	49.4	n.c.
CoStor20%db1	—	—	—
Israel Elec	388.0	79.0	—24.0
LighterageIL1	1388.0	1.0	n.c.
LighterageIL5	497.0	2.4	+17.0
LighterageIL5 op2	276.0	37.7	n.c.
LighterageIL5 db	265.0	30.0	—12.0
RapaccIL1	333.0	53.1	n.c.
RapaccIL5	237.0	28.0	—3.0
Land,Building, Devel,Citrus			
Azorim	221.0	98.0	n.c.
Azor opA	185.0	189.0	n.c.
Azor20%db1	95.5	140.4	+1.0
Africa-Isr1	670.0	5.5	—20.0
Africa-Isr10	580.0	23.4	—20.0
ILDC r	264.0	641.4	—10.0
ILDC b	289.0	23.0	—10.0
ILDCnodiv	—	—	—
ILDC opA	800.0	10.0	—12.0
ILDC opB	333.0	191.5	—20.0
ILDC20%db3	250.0	11.0	—7.0
ILDC20%db4	264.0	31.3	—10.0
SolelBoneh prFA	1080.0	1.2	—30.0
SolelBonehprFc	1020.0	.2	n.c.
Prop&Bldg	282.0	370.9	—3.0
PropBld opA	590.0	—	—
PropBld opB	260.0	5.0	—10.0
PropBld 15%db4	428.0	2.0	—5.0
PropBld op18%db5	285.0	80.7	—5.0
BaysideIL1	213.0	73.0	—5.0
BaysideIL5	222.0	12.0	n.c.
Ispro	d165.0	129.0	n.c.
Ispro 50%d	170.0	5.0	—5.0
Ispro op1	88.0	204.6	—3.0
Isras	880.0	58.9	+10.0
Mehadrin	1808.0	23.0	n.c.
ICP	1930.0	1.0	+45.0
Neot Aviv	390.0	1.7	+10.0
PriOr	651.0	3.8	—22.0
Rassco PrF	136.5	30.0	n.c.
Rassco	131.0	b.o.	+6.0

Industrial	Closing price	Volume IL1,000	Change
Urdan IL1	d220.0	40.3	n.c.
Urdan IL5	d221.0	49.b	—9.0
Urdan op	114.0	191.4	+6.0
Elbit IL1	197.0	136.2	+2.0
Elbit IL5	201.-	120.4	—17.0
Alliance	1405.0	—	+50.0
Elco 1	834.0	s.o.	—18.0
Elco IL2.5 r	149.0	23.5	—7.0
Elco IL2.5 b	148.0	64.5	—7.0
Elco opA	109.0	80.0	—6.0
Elco20%db1	72.5	122.1	n.c.
Electra IL1	d585.0	1.7	—22.0
Electra IL5	d231.0	112.1	n.c.
Electra op2	231.0	79.9	n.c.
Electra18%db	210.0	27.1	—7.0
Electra18%db2	117.0	25.8	—5.0
Elron IL1	750.0	—	—
Elron IL2	380.0	111.6	—20.0
Elron opA	147.0	243.1	—12.0
Argaman prf r	195.0	16.0	+13.0
Argaman prf b	200.0	10.0	—15.0
Argaman r	173.0	125.3	—4.0
Argaman b	180.0	61.0	—5.0
AtaB	120.5	89.2	—6.5
AtaC	92.0	1,311.2	—4.0
Ata opA	85.0	288.7	n.c.
Ata op3	74.5	525.3	n.c.
Ata20%deb2	71.5	259.7	n.c.
Dubek r	478.0	15.6	+13.0
Dubek b	474.0	14.2	n.c.
Fertilizers	164.5	686.5	—12.0
Cables r	122.5	30.0	n.c.
Cables b	115.0	57.5	n.c.
HaifaChem	332.0	90.3	n.c.
HaifaChm op2	285.0	129.0	n.c.
HaifaChm20%db1	164.0	700.6	n.c.
Teva r	484.0	353.5	n.c.
Teva b	741.0	b.o.	+35.0
Teva op	487.0	28.9	+27.0
Teva db	c109.5	421.5	+5.5
Lodzia IL1	722.0	—	—
Lodzia IL4	270.0	23.0	+5.0
Lodzia op2	78.0	449.0	—1.0
Molett	203.0	89.2	—11.0
Moller	523.0	14.0	—7.0
Phoenicia IL1	388.0	s.o.	—20.0
DeadSea	545.0	256.1	—21.0
AmIsrPaper	567.0	101.6	+27.0
AmIsr opA	382.0	243.3	+15.0
AmIsr20%db1	247.0	201.0	n.c.
Assis	240.0	67.9	n.c.
Assis20%db1	186.0	19.3	—1.0
Petrochem	119.0	371.9	—1.0
Ptrchm opA	90.5	275.0	+2.5
Ptrchm20%db1	76.0	268.3	n.c.
Nechushtan r	880.0	2.3	—31.0
Nechushtan b	670.0	1.9	—9.0
Elite	417.0	346.5	n.c.
Elite op3	299.0	50.0	n.c.
Elite20%cnv sb2	170.0	30.4	n.c.
Arad	398.0	10.7	—12.0
Polgat IL1r	636.0	7.7	n.c.
Polgat IL5r	478.0	26.5	n.c.
Polgat op	214.0	33.8	+8.0
Polygon	166.0	207.0	n.c.
Rim IL1	803.0	—	—
Rim IL4	228.0	33.0	—10.0
Shemen b	516.0	2.0	n.c.
Taal r	142.5	301.0	+5.0
Taal b	153.0	38.0	+12.0
Taal op	106.0	157.1	+3.0
Frutarom	151.5	194.6	n.c.
Invest&Holding Companies			
Elgar r	870.0	5.5	+10.0
Elgar b	948.0	3.0	—66.0
Ellern r	d840.0	16.0	+6.0
Ellern b	d840.0	15.0	+6.0
Amissar	128.0	176.2	—10.0
Amissar op	105.5	34.0	—9.5
CntrlTrade	1368.0	1.6	n.c.
InvofPaz r	505.0	100.0	+5.0
InvofPaz b	505.0	41.6	+5.0
WolfsonIL1	740.0	.5	n.c.
WolfsonIL10 r	305.0	78.1	n.c.
WolfsonIL10 b	317.0	122.8	—22.0
Ampa	950.0	10.0	n.c.
DscInv r	307.0	422.8	—3.0
DscInv b	311.0	100.0	—4.0
DscInv opA	585.0	50.0	—15.0
DscInv opB	235.0	308.9	—5.0
DscInv10%db72	394.0	—	—
DscInv18%db130	270.0	74.2	—10.0
DscInv18%db136	140.0	121.0	—3.0
Hap'ImInv r	574.0	14.4	+2.0
HapInv b	585.0	10.8	+2.0
HapInv op1	498.0	3.0	+7.0
LeumiInv	552.0	146.3	+1.0
JrdnExplo	220.0	435.5	n.c.
JrdnExplo op	700.0	8.0	—30.0
JrdnExplo op2	135.0	44.3	n.c.
JrdnExplo op3	94.5	72.8	+6.0
MizrahiInv r	730.0	20.0	+5.0
MizrahiInv b	780.0	22.0	+5.0
Mizrahi18%db48	425.0	42.0	+5.0
Hassuta	198.0	167.2	—7.0
Hassuta opA	180.0	196.6	n.c.
Hassuta20%db1	89.5	51.0	n.c.
ExprtInv r	900.0	6.0	+30.0
ExprtInv b	905.0	20.0	+25.0
KoorInd	2980.0	1.0	n.c.
ClalRlEst	171.0	398.2	+3.0
ClalREs opA	237.0	58.8	+20.0
ClalREs opB	55.0	1,031.0	n.c.
ClalREs20%db1	188.0	—	—
Clal	x522.0	87.2	n.c.
ClalInd	—	—	—
ClalInd sc op	—	—	—
ClalInd op cert	—	—	—
ClalInd20%db5	390.0	228.9	+20.0
Landeco	140.0	322.1	n.c.
OzInv	199.0	68.0	—10.0
OzInv10%db	199.0	3.0	+6.0
PamaInv	212.0	250.0	n.c.
Pama 25%d	—	—	—
PirylonInv	144.5	970.1	n.c.
Fuel&Explo.			
OilExploPaz	171.0	384.4	+8.0
Naphtha	714.0	7.0	n.c.
Lapidot r	—	—	—
Lapidot b	—	—	—
SharesTradedIn ForeignCurrency			
Adanim	656.0	—	—
Agric prfC	494.0	—	—
IndDev prfB	—	—	—
IndDevprfC	1083.0	—	—
IndDevCC	645.0	—	—
IndDevCC1	545.0	—	—
IndDevD	620.0	—	—
TouristInd	550.0	—	—
UnicoA r	217.0	s.o.	—11.0
UnicoA b	256.0	—	—14.0
Gazit	126.0	—	—

Most active shares

Leumi	793	1602.7	+3.0
Hapoalim r	911	1284.4	+4.0
IDB	634	863.5	+3.0

Volumes	March 19	March 18
Shares traded:	IL114.2m.	IL132.9m.
Convertibles:	IL16.9m.	IL16.3m.
Bonds:	IL59.4m.	IL66.2m.

Abbreviations:
s.o. sellers only; n.c. no change
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c without coupon; prf preferred
x without bonus; op option
z without rights; conv convertible
s.c. subordinated capital notes

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New York Stock Exchange

Closing prices Mar. 19

Dow Jones Industrial Average:
800.93 down 0.68
Volume: 36,240,000

	price	Change
Allied Chemical	50⅛	+1
Asa Ltd.	45⅝	+3⅛
Avco	21¼	+1½
Boeing	57¼	+1¼
Burroughs	64⅝	—⅜
Bell & Howell	23⅝	—⅛
Bally Manufacturing	25⅝	—⅝
Bausch and Lomb	34⅞	+⅜
Control Data	48⅝	—⅛
Curtiss Wright	20⅝	+⅛
Dow Chemical	32	+⅝
Eastman Kodak	46⅝	—1⅜
Ford Motor	29⅝	+⅛
General Dynamics	69½	+1½
Gulf & Western	18½	+⅛
Holiday Inns	15⅝	—⅜
Honeywell	81⅝	—1
Hilton Hotels	28⅞	+⅝
IBM	58⅞	—⅜
Lockheed	30½	—⅛
Litton Ind.	50⅛	+2
LTV	10⅝	n.c.
McDonnell Douglas	40⅛	+2⅛
Merrill Lynch	20⅝	—⅛
MGM	18⅝	+⅝
Motorola	52⅞	—⅝
NCR	67⅝	—⅛
Natomas	36⅝	+⅝
National Semiconductor	22	+⅛
Occidental Petroleum	25	—⅝
Penn Central	17⅞	—⅛
Pan American Airways	4⅝	n.c.
Polaroid	21⅝	—⅛
RCA	20⅛	—⅜
Revlon	38⅝	+⅛
Raytheon	72⅛	+2⅛
Sears Roebuck	15½	n.c.
Sperry Rand	45⅞	—⅛
Syntex	35⅛	n.c.
American Tel & Tel	47⅛	—½
Telex	3⅛	n.c.
Teledyne	135⅛	n.c.
Tyco Laboratories	27½	+⅛
UAL	18⅝	+⅜
Union Carbide	37⅝	—⅛
UV Industries	23⅝	n.c.
Western Union	20	+⅝
Westinghouse Electric	20⅝	—⅛
U.S. Steel	18	+⅛
Xerox	55	—⅜
Exxon	[illegible]	n.c.
Zenith Radio	—	—
American Exchange		
Amer Isr Paper Mills	2⅛	—⅛
Etz Lavud	4⅞	—⅛
Houston Oil and Mineral	23	+⅜
OTC List		
Elscint	8	8⅜
IDB Ordinary	3⅛	3⅛
IDB Pfd.	13⅛	13⅜

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Representative bond prices

	Price	Change
6.5% Defence loan		
70 (Ayin)	1570.0	—2.0
75 (Ayin Heh)	1624.0	+5.0
81 (Peh Aleph)	1570.0	n.c.
90 (Tzadi)	1490.0	n.c.
4% Gov't development		
Group 1. Yield:	+0.47	
3001	1316.0	—3.0
3007	1243.0	—3.0
Group 5. Yield:	+0.53	
3020	906.2	n.c.
3025	904.0	n.c.
Defence loan 69.		
9	—	—
44 (Mem Dalet)	—	—
4% Gov't (90% C-o-L)		
Group 22. Yield:	+1.50	
3101	668.3	n.c.
3106	597.0	+.1
Group 24. Yield:	+1.38	
3110	561.2	+2.3
3115	530.1	+2.2
4% Gov't (80% C-o-L)		
Group 42. Yield:	+1.55	
3210	436.5	n.c.
3206	412.9	+.1
6% Gov't (80% C-o-L)		
Group 52. Yield:	+1.65	
3301	383.0	—5.0
3304	335.6	—4.5
7% Gov't (80% C-o-L)		
Group 62. Yield:	+1.52	
3522	325.2	n.c.
3526	314.3	n.c.
Group 66. Yield:	+1.73	
3534	264.9	—.9
3541	240.6	—.9
Group 68. Yield:	+1.83	
3546	221.3	—3.0
3551	209.3	—2.9
Group 70. Yield:	+1.72	
3554	202.1	—1.5
3557	192.9	—1.4
Gov't dble-opt linked		
2001	307.1	—1.5
2015	273.5	n.c.
2033	195.2	n.c.
Dollar denom bonds		
Hollis 15	85.4	n.c.
Hollis 20	84.0	n.c.
Bonds 100% linked to foreign currency		
5.5% Gov't 6028	191.4	—
6% Isr. Electric Corp. B	1040.0	n.c.
5% Dead Sea Works	975.0	—30.0
Bonds 7½% linked to foreign currency		
6005	201.8	—

Bank of Israel exchange rates

Currency	
U.S. dollar	40.8510
British sterling	89.6291
German mark	21.7959
French franc	9.3267
Dutch guilder	19.8876
Swiss franc	23.0341
Swedish krone	9.3075
Norwegian krone	8.0455
Danish krone	6.9756
Finnish mark	10.4465
Canadian dollar	34.7581
Australian dollar	44.3848
South African rand	50.4469
Belgian franc (10)	13.4411
Austrian schilling (10)	30.4064
Italian lire (100)	4.6730
Japanese yen (100)	16.4176
Jordanian dinar	134.81
Lebanese lira	11.91

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Foreign Currency Rates for 19.3.80

Country	Currency		Buying (Cheques and transactions)	Selling (Cheques and transactions)	Buying (Banknotes)	Selling (Banknotes)
…A.	Dollar	1	40.6973	41.0027	40.4400	41.2600
…t Britain	Sterling	1	89.2451	89.9148	88.6800	90.4800
…many	Mark	1	21.7052	21.8681	21.5700	22.0100
…ce	Franc	1	9.2895	9.3592	9.2100	9.4200
…and	Gulden	1	19.1799	19.3284	19.5500	20.0500
…zerland	Franc	1	23.0123	23.1850	22.8700	23.3300
…den	Krona	1	9.2789	9.3485	9.1000	9.4100
…way	Krone	1	8.0318	8.0921	7.8800	8.1400
…mark	Krone	1	6.9478	7.0000	6.8100	7.0400
…and	Mark	1	10.4325	10.5108	10.2300	10.5800
…da	Dollar	1	34.6171	34.8768	34.1200	35.1000
…ralia	Dollar	1	44.0193	44.3519	42.4500	45.3400
…h Africa	Rand	1	50.1390	50.5153	39.5100	52.9700
…ium	Franc	10	13.3872	13.4877	12.7700	13.5700
…ria	Schilling	10	30.2357	30.4626	30.0400	30.6500
	Lire	1000	46.5644	46.9138	41.1300	47.2100
	Yen	1000	163.6072	164.8349	162.5700	165.8700

"Dollar Paz" and "Euro Paz" Buying and Selling rates for 19.3.80

		Buying	Selling
"Dollar Paz"	1 unit	146.5098	147.6093
"Euro Paz"	1 unit	195.3648	197.3384

…terest rates (%) for non-resident deposit accounts (Patach) and Israeli resident deposit accounts (Patam) for 20.3.80

		Patach 3	Patach 6	Patach 12	Patam 3	Patam 6	Patam 12
	Dollar	18¼	18½	17¼	18¼	17⅞	16⅞
…t Britain	Sterling	17⅞	18	17⅞	16⅝	17	16½
…many	Mark	9⅛	9⅝	9¾	7⅝	8⅝	8½
…land	Gulden	10⅞	11¼	12	9⅝	10⅝	11¼
…ada	Dollar	14⅝	14⅞	14⅞	13⅞	14	14
…nce	Franc	13⅝	14⅝	14⅞	12⅝	13½	14
…zerland	Franc	6⅞	7¼	7	5⅝	6	6
…lar Paz"		14¼	14⅝	13⅝	13¼	23½	13
…ro Paz"		14½	14⅞	14⅝	18⅝	13⅝	13½

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Gold up again

LONDON (UPI). — Gold rose above the $500 mark again yesterday and the dollar dropped on almost all European markets.

A London bullion dealer said speculators thought the price of gold had declined too much recently and they returned to the gold market.

Gold rose $39 an ounce in London to close at $520. In Zurich the price rose $32 to close at $521.

JAPAN. — Three leading Japanese banks announced yesterday they are raising their short-term prime lending rate by 1.75 per cent to a record 9.25 per cent. The new rate is the highest since World War II.

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Missed milestone

TODAY was to have been the day on which the process of normalization between Egypt and Israel was to have been formally completed. At least, it was supposed to be the day on which the formalities involved in the process were to be sealed.

Originally normalization was meant to proceed at a much more leisurely pace. July 26 was set as the target date for the negotiations on bilateral accords in the fields of economics, trade, aviation, culture and tourism.

Cooperation in these fields is what constitutes real good-neighbourly relations — or what Dr. Butros Ghali, the Egyptian minister of state for foreign affairs, termed "active peace." Dr. Ghali also took it upon himself to warn Israelis earlier this year that the bilateral agreements would never actually get signed unless an accord on the autonomy were first concluded by its own target date of May 26.

Dr. Ghali was, however, overruled by President Sadat, who right after the Aswan summit in late January ordered the beginning of the bilateral talks advanced by six months, and concluded by March 20.

The results so far have been pretty meagre. An air accord has been signed granting El Al, Israel's national carrier, landing rights in Cairo, and a privately-owned Egyptian company especially set up for the purpose, Nefertiti, the same rights in Lod.

A number of agreements have been initialled, but they are still a long way off from being concluded.

True, ambassadors have been exchanged between Jerusalem and Cairo, and the Israel media now get almost daily reports directly from the Egyptian capital by their own personnel. But normalization in the real sense remains a pious wish. It is nearly non-existent on the person-to-person level, and only superficially on the level of government-to-government.

Mr. Sadat's latest pledge of his intention to press ahead with the normalization is somewhat less than wholly reassuring. He was addressing Egypt's medical association, one of several professional groups opposed to any speed-up of the normalization, and he spoke in terms that had earlier been reserved for the use of Dr. Ghali, his authorized "hawk."

He clearly hinted that the quality of normalization would be determined by the outcome of the autonomy talks, and he called upon Israel to "prove its intentions" by May 26. There are only ten weeks left before that critical date.

Unlike Dr. Ghali, President Sadat has yet to indicate what course of action he would favour if the target were missed. But he did describe it, this week, as a final deadline.

This same view was contested vigorously this week by Premier Begin, notably in an appearance before the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee. He, for his part, insisted that May 26 had been conceived as a target date and *not* as a deadline, and suggested that it would be no tragedy if the talks were wrapped up sometime later.

Mr. Begin may be right. But it will not do for him to take things, as it were, in his stride, and to ignore the fact that, for Mr. Sadat, time is indeed of the essence.

In his address to the Egyptian doctors this week the Egyptian leader appeared to have made one major concession to the Israeli side by agreeing to exclude two divisive issues from the scope of the current talks. These are the disposition of water resources, and the future of Israel's settlements in the administered areas.

This still leaves a number of Egyptian demands that, as Mr. Begin rightly insists, cannot be reconciled with the letter and spirit of Camp David. But the same is true, as the Egyptians (and the Americans, too) are saying, of several Israeli claims. An excess of self-righteousness on either side will not contribute to the necessary solution.

President Carter has, therefore, once again decided to involve himself personally in the negotiations — with separate meetings to be held in Washington with Mr. Begin and Mr. Sadat.

The question is whether he will be able to repeat, in this form, the meeting of minds he helped engineer at Camp David.

Good intentions not enough

HARDLY a day passes by without some exasperating new revelation of poor performance by the government and its ignorance of (if not disdain for) proper rules of official conduct.

The latest case is that of Korat Gag, which this week was the object of an unprecedentedly sharp blast from the State Comptroller. That enterprise was thought up as a way to ease the housing problem by substituting charity for economic policy, and was sponsored by Prime Minister Begin himself.

What was supposed to be a philanthropic undertaking turned out to be a disorderly, speculative venture in gold. The venture paid off, but this is irrelevant. For it might easily have been otherwise — if, for example, the U.S. had raised the interest rate three months earlier.

In that event, Korat Gag would have had to foot the bill for the substantial expenses of its secretary, former shipping magnate Meir Halevy, who was the moving spirit behind it all. The State Comptroller's report shows that the dividing line between Mr. Halevy's own business interests and the substantial costs of this charitable sortie into high finance was and remains blurred.

The entire scheme was questionable from the start. Israel has for many years successfully issued and sold coins and medals through the state-owned Israel Coins and Medals Company. Marc Chagall would probably have been as willing to lend his name to a special issue in that framework, had he been asked.

As the State Comptroller's report shows, the project did not enhance the dignity of the Prime Minister's office, nor, of course, did it make a dent in the housing problem.

PREPARATION FOR OFFICE

The Post's **YOSEF GOELL strongly urges the Labour Party to learn from the Likud's mistakes and set about forming a shadow cabinet without delay.**

SOME OF US are occasionally wise enough to learn from our mistakes. A few of us are even wiser, and are willing to learn from the mistakes of others as well.

This is said in the hope that the Labour Party and its chairman, who will in all likelihood constitute the next government of Israel, will be wise enough to learn from their own mistakes when they were in power, and from the mistakes of the Likud during the three-year hold on power that has proven so catastrophic to it itself and to all Israel.

Whether or not the policies espoused by Prime Minister Begin and his Likud are mistaken is, of course, a legitimate matter for debate. What is beyond debate is the fact that neither Mr. Begin nor the Likud has been able to put together a cabinet team capable of governing in the most elementary sense of that word. Israel under the Likud is not so much wrongly governed as abominably ruled.

Part of the breakdown of government under the Likud is due to the generally disappointing quality of the men it has elevated to the highest ranks of office and political power. But a much larger element in the breakdown is the total lack of coordination, teamwork and minimal human relations among the men in the cabinet and in the broader administration. The record of Labour governments in bygone days is ample illustration of the thesis that even mediocre ministers can perform passably well in the context of coordinated teamwork.

IT IS OFTEN forgotten that the rot began under Labour. The internal chaos and circus atmosphere that characterize the Begin government had their antecedents in the Rabin government. Messrs. Begin, Weizman, Sharon, Levy, Hurvitz, Patt and Moda'i did not invent their act. They had the precedent set by Messrs. Rabin and Peres to follow.

The sheer inability to rule that began to show itself in the latter part of Rabin's administration should fully justify a demand by the electorate that Labour, which is presenting itself today as the life-giving antidote to Likud's poison, provide clear evidence of its ability to rule.



Shimon Peres (Rubinger)

This is all the more essential in view of Mr. Peres' peculiar position within the Labour Party. He is undoubtedly head of the party and, now that Yigal Allon is gone, is quite certain to be its unchallenged candidate for the premiership; but one would have to work very hard to unearth even one leading Labour politico who could be said to entertain a deep sense of loyalty to Mr. Peres or even a trust that could be expected to last through the normal thick and thin of day-to-day governmental politics.

DURING AN INTERVIEW several months before the 1977 elections, I asked Mr. Begin whether he did not think it fitting to take the electorate into his confidence and unveil the Likud's shadow cabinet well in advance of the elections. Mr. Begin assured me that the Likud's constituent parties included a large number of impressive and capable figures who would do credit to any cabinet. He went on to explain patiently the intra-Likud problems entailed in a premature determination of who would fill which portfolio, *not to mention* the fact that even a most optimistic reading of the prospects for a Likud electoral victory entailed the need for a coalition government. The dangers and difficulties involved in setting up a shadow cabinet, Mr. Begin *intimated*, were much greater than the benefit to be derived.

"We will cross that bridge when we come to it," the future prime minister told me.

With the advantage of hindsight, we know what happened when Mr. Begin and the Likud came to the bridge. They fell over the railing into the torrent below pulling us all in after them.

MR. PERES, who is still fighting to establish an unchallenged leadership over his own party, can most likely wheel out similar arguments. They all boil down to the pragmatic question confronting working politicians: whether to run the risk of straining party and clique unity for the dubious benefits of an exercise in what would seem to be textbook democracy.

It requires no strain of the imagination to conjure up the battles royal that will be involved in choosing between Messrs. Levinson, Amorai or Yaacobi for finance minister; or between Abba Eban, Yitzhak Rabin or Danny Rosolio for foreign minister; or between Aharon Yadlin, Yossi Sarid or Ora Namir for the education portfolio.

Those battles are unavoidable, and will have to be fought sooner or later. What I am arguing, on the basis of the Begin government's shocking non-performance, and the suspicion that the Labour Party is far from immune to the same intrinsic weaknesses, is that it is essential that those battles be mounted and concluded long before election day, so that the electorate can have time to assess the leadership team that is asking for its vote.

A political leader, be it Mr. Begin or Mr. Peres (and possibly Mr. Weizman?), who is unwilling to risk the rigours of such a battle is in effect labelling himself as unfit to rule the country.

IT IS OBVIOUS that, given the Israel context of coalition governments, a shadow cabinet would not necessarily be an exact *prototype* of the administration the opposition would set up if it came into office. But even without identifying absolutely who would fill each post, failure to put up a shadow cabinet deprives the electorate of one of the major indicators required for making a sensible choice on election day.

In addition, a shadow cabinet, selected sufficiently early, would facilitate learning from another past mistake. The Likud ministers entered upon their jobs with not the faintest idea of what they intended doing in office or what was entailed in doing it. It took years for them to learn.

There is more than a mere suspicion that the contenders in Labour are fully engaged in jockeying for power positions rather than in giving the slightest thought to the difficult problems that will confront them when and if they make it into power.

ONE OF THE MOST disheartening thoughts today is that a future Labour minister of finance will spend months studying what to do. Worse still, he may pull half-baked programmes out of his [illegible] Mr. Hurvitz seems to [illegible] despite a full year out of [illegible] ment, during which he [illegible] been preparing for his [illegible] Finance Ministry.

It is fair to say that, by [illegible] Israel's political leaders [illegible] past decade, Likud [illegible] alike, have been a disappo[illegible] It is not forecordained [illegible] that the level of politic[illegible] mance must continue [illegible] downwards to depressing [illegible] more dangerous depths.

Mr. Peres and the Labour [illegible] now find themselves at the [illegible] which a clear decision [illegible] taken on whether a new [illegible] government will mean the [illegible] over of a new page, or me[illegible] dreary continuation of the [illegible] government's record, [illegible] many ways was itself an [illegible] aggravation of the ills that [illegible] last Labour government.

At most, such a decision [illegible] put off until the election of [illegible] new governing bodies at the [illegible] June convention. Rivalling [illegible] at that time, too, would [illegible] an admission of Labour's [illegible] mination to prefer the [illegible] its own internal Byzantine [illegible] to the interests of good [illegible]

Dry Bones



READERS' LETTERS

THE ISRAEL ACADEMIC COMMITTEE

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — As a Canadian academic and writer now on sabbatical at the Hebrew University, I would like to commend the Israel Academic Committee on the Middle East for its activities on behalf of visiting professors. Founded in 1969 and based in Jerusalem, this organization is doing exemplary work in informing visiting faculty about the complexities and achievements of the State of Israel. The Israel Academic Committee offers a comprehensive programme of seminars and study trips that goes a long way in building and maintaining understanding and support among visiting academics.

But what is most astonishing is that the I.A.C. receives very little public support or funds from the various governmental agencies and offices that pay lip service to *kasbara campaigns. It must be impressed* upon the Jewish Agency and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs that the I.A.C. deserves immediate and significant financial support so that it may continue the excellent work that it has been doing for the past eleven years.

Prof. S. MAYNE
University of Ottawa
Jerusalem.

THERE ARE STILL HONEST PEOPLE

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I just got back from a stay in Israel where people seem to be very discouraged with the general level of crime in the country.

Before I left something very heartening happened to me which I would like to share with you. I lost my wallet containing $300 (three $100 bills) during my last day of shopping in Tel Aviv. I did not know where. When I arrived home, there was a phone call from GUY Galleries that they had found my wallet. When I picked it up, it was intact. They even stayed open a little later so I could go back to get it.

I think that people should know that there are still nice, honest people in the world.

DEBBY NEWMANN
Haymarket, Virginia.

A CASE OF VD

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — I refer to your article about the "high-class call-girls" who infected some 100 Dutch Unifil soldiers with venereal disease (February 22). Where did you get this number? Surely not from the doctors of the Dutch battalion, who have counted no more than about a quarter of your figure.

We felt it our duty to protect everybody involved, including the girls, from the consequences of untreated VD. The question was how to go about it. We did not want to interfere in another country's internal affairs, but one of our M.P.'s happened to have a private chat with a colleague from the Israeli I.P.O. (International Police Organization) in which this highly sensitive matter was touched upon. He was also asked if he knew a way of discreetly advising the girls to go and see a doctor. To have the ladies taken into custody is, in my opinion, a not very discreet and somewhat drastic way of solving a simple public health problem.

Anyway, I am happy to know that the source of infection is finally being treated, not only for the sake of the girls themselves, but especially of the people we take care of: our soldiers. We keep saying, with little success, that they should be more fastidious in their pursuit of diversion while on leave.

C. HALMA, M.D.
Capt., Dutchbatt
Haris, Lebanon.

ESTHER VILNAY

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — The shock of Esther Vilnay's passing is so intense and widespread because the impact of her very presence was so strongly felt by all who came in contact with her.

Hers was a commanding personality, not only by virtue of her regal bearing and arresting beauty, but also because of her perceptible inner strength and indomitable will. With her intellect and exceptional abilities, Esther could have achieved any goal she set herself to reach, but she chose to devote herself to her family and to her husband's scholarly works.

To her friends, Esther Vilnay was a rock upon which they could lean in times of sorrow, and upon whose clarity of judgement and intuitive wisdom they could rely when assailed by perplexity or despair.

The devotion she inspired in her many grateful friends is best expressed in the words of Proverbs: "Give her of the fruit of her hands and let her own works praise her in the gates."

BATYAH ABBADY
Jerusalem.

THE RABIN MEMOIRS

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir, — For 2,000 years, our people have had great writers, but deplored the lack of good soldiers in our midst. Now Mr. Segal is deploring the style of one of our outstanding generals, in his review of Yitzhak Rabin's Memoirs.

Yitzhak Rabin, with his Memoirs, intended to present to the public his version of the events wherein he played an important role, never having the pretension of being a stylist.

One cannot help considering Mark Segal's assumption as at least malicious. How can he write that "he (Rabin) took it all for granted, as if it were his birthright," when Rabin reached the highest ranks of the hierarchy by beginning with the lowest ones and rising through the years due to his merits.

Yitzhak Rabin payed dearly for breaking the law. But we must avoid laying all the shortcomings of his premiership at his feet, because most of them were present in the previous governments, as they are in the current one. Probably they belong to the Israeli [illegible] system.

DAVID [illegible]
Mannheim, West [illegible]

Mark Segal comments:

Living in Mannheim, [illegible] Mr. Benjamin the irony [illegible] sentimental about our [illegible] turned-politicians, [illegible] suspect he would not [illegible] the German variety. [illegible] Mr. Benjamin has an [illegible] sense of humour when he [illegible] about Rabin starting from [illegible] lowest rank. In that case [illegible] never read Rabin's book, [illegible] he read my review properly. [illegible] point I was making, to wit, [illegible] so objects, was that Rabin [illegible] other sons of the founders [illegible] effortlessly propelled to the [illegible] political and economic [illegible] privileged elite without [illegible] the responsibilities that [illegible] ing to an elite must involve.

PENFRIENDS

BIRGITTA ANDREASSON, Hagarnevagen 45/128, Uddevalla, Sweden, [illegible] practical nurse in a hospital, would like to correspond with Israeli young men.

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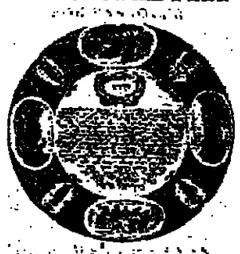
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SHELI On Palestinian Self-Determination

Resolution proposed by SHELI in the Knesset at the conclusion of the debate on the Security Council Resolution, March 6, 1980:

1) The Knesset considers that the right of the people of Israel to peace and security in its independent state does not conflict with the right of the Palestinian people to self-determination, including the right to an independent national state of its own, alongside Israel, in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip. The two rights are mutually complementary and form the basis for a genuine, comprehensive and stable peace throughout the region. Neither people can realize its right while denying that of the other.

2) The Knesset approves that part of the Security Council Resolution which supports this dual right, as well as the initiative of European nations in recognizing the right of the Palestinian people to self-determination, provided the latter is accompanied by consistent and unequivocal recognition of Israel's right to peace and security.

3) The Knesset states that the present policies of the Israel Government — specifically, its denial of the rights of the Palestinian people, the attempts to strip the principle of self-rule for the Palestinian people of its substance, while permitting a gang of irrational fanatics to dictate its moves, and the recent decision to settle Jews in the city of Hebron — are disastrous for the State. These policies are isolating Israel in the world and alienating its friends in Europe and America.

4) The Knesset notes that, by its actions, the Government is causing irreparable damage to the ongoing peace process between Israel and Egypt, while undermining the position of President Anwar Sadat in his own country and in the Arab world. These actions contradict the letter and the spirit of the Camp David accords. The opening of the Israel-Egyptian border should have led to similar developments between Israel and the other Arab countries, and to the integration of Israel in a regional political and economic alliance; these prospects are being undermined by the Government's short-sighted policies.

5) The Knesset considers that the solution to the problem of Jerusalem will be found in negotiations between Israel and the Palestinians. Such a solution will preserve the urban unity of the city, whose western side will remain Israel's capital, while its eastern side may serve as the capital of the Palestinian state, if its people so wishes.

6) The Knesset resolves to put an end to the establishment of settlements in the occupied territories. The continued existence of the settlements already established will be the subject of negotiations and agreement between the two peoples.

7) The Knesset calls on Mr. Menahem Begin to resign with his Government. After elections, the new government should launch a new Israeli initiative for the solution of the Palestinian problem, thereby enabling Israel to take up its place once again among the nations, avoid pressures that would lead to an imposed solution, and bring about peace in our region.

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